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## Axis Sailors Will Be Interned Under Uncle Sam's Order

### Round Up of Germans in New York City Began Early This Morn

New York, May 7—(AP)—More than 100 German seamen were taken into custody today in a secret before-dawn roundup by squads of city detectives and immigration agents—a move which one immigration official "guessed" was a precautionary measure against "fifth column activities".

The roundup in New York and suburban areas was part of a nation-wide action ordered by Attorney General Jackson to bring into official custody 160 German sailors on formal charges of having overstayed their leaves in this country.

Commenting on the swift, unannounced maneuver, Byron Uhl, district director of immigration, said that "as far as we know these men have been behaving themselves and have not been engaging in propaganda or anything like that".

When he was asked if he thought the action had anything to do with "precautions against fifth column activities by the seamen", he replied:

"Well, I'd be just guessing the same as you but I'd say yes".

#### Invasion Starts Early

Armed with warrants charging the sailors with overstaying their leave here, the officers began invading hotel rooms, furnished rooms and taverns at 3 A. M., CST.

Two hours later, the seamen—formerly employed on Standard Oil Company tankers—were herded into the U. S. customs barge office, with Ellis Island their next stop before being sent west.

The move came a day after the transfer of 125 Italian seamen from the island to an internment camp in an unnamed western city. The Italian had been interned since the U. S. took over 69 axis and Danish ships six weeks ago in American ports.

Byron Uhl, district director of immigration, said the roundup was ordered by the attorney general in Washington and explained that the seamen had been ordered deported after hearings several months ago but had been kept here because of the impossibility of sending the men to Germany.

#### Camps Under Construction

He said 119 sailors had been rounded up here thus far and that agents were still searching for a few. The men probably would be sent to one of several internment camps being constructed by the government, he said, when Washington made final disposition of their cases.

The 125 Italian seamen leaving Ellis Island yesterday were enroute to Missouri, Montana, Uhl said. They were skilled mechanics who will help convert the former army camp there into an intermediate camp.

As soon as the camp is ready, 400 more Italians now at Ellis Island will be sent there, it was said.

The seamen had been employed on various oil tankers and the vessels arrived in port, were replaced by American sailors. The Standard Oil Companies had no way of returning them to Germany, so they were being housed here at company expense.

#### 6,000 DEPORTABLES

Washington, May 7—(AP)—Attorney General Jackson said today there were 6,000 deportable aliens who are still "free" in the United States as he ordered the round-up of 180 German seamen for questioning.

The justice department revealed that officers had been directed to round-up the seamen who were supposed to be in New York, San Francisco, Miami, Philadelphia and Kansas City under an agreement permitting their freedom after deportation orders were completed but could not be executed for lack of machinery.

The department also said that 125 Italian seamen were taken from Ellis Island last night to Fort Missoula, Mont., to be held in an army camp taken over there for detention of aliens. It is planned eventually to put all the interned Italians at the fort. The men were members of the crew of the Conte Biancamano, taken into protective custody in the Panama Canal zone.

The attorney general, in an address prepared for the American Judicature Society, warned that "under modern methods of warfare the most critical period for a nation under attack is the period preceding the actual employment of military force".

**Nazis' Secret Weapon**  
The secret weapon of the nazis has been the failure of nation after nation to recognize and deal with this non-military invasion", Jackson said. "Our statute law has in many respects failed

## Held in Girl's Death



## "Navy Ready", Knox Says as Sequel to Stimson's Address

### War Secretary Pleads for Protection for 'Aid-to-Britain'

Washington, May 7—(AP)—Secretary Knox said today that the navy is "readier now than ever" to undertake the job of assuring delivery of war supplies to Britain—if and when it is assigned to such duty.

The navy department chief made the statement at a press conference in commenting on a speech last night by Secretary of War Stimson in which Stimson advocated use of the United States navy to assure a victory for Britain in the battle of the Atlantic.

At the same time, Knox disclosed that the navy was taking over "the seagoing activities" of the coast guard. The process, he said, amounts to a "transfer bodily of the coast guard ships and their crews."

Knox was asked by reporters for comment on Stimson's plea for naval action "right now" and he said, "I thought it a forthright, courageous and very enlightening talk animated by a high spirit of patriotism."

#### 8 of 205 Ships Sunk

Shortly before Knox's press conference, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) announced that Chairman Emory S. Land of the Maritime Commission had informed him that "only eight out of 205 ships that left our ports with supplies for England were sunk in the first three months of this year."

A reporter asked Knox whether the Stimson speech was designed to pave the way for action by the administration toward the objectives which Stimson sponsored, and Knox replied "no comment".

"Is the navy ready to do the job Stimson suggested?" the secretary was asked.

"The navy is always ready—readier now than ever," was the reply.

Stimson's blunt plea for use of the U. S. navy—"right now"—in the battle of the Atlantic strengthened the belief today that some such strategy is now receiving administration consideration.

#### Spurred With President

Special importance was attached to Stimson's words in many quarters because Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said it could be assumed that the war department chief discussed his address in advance with Mr. Roosevelt.

Stimson was the fifth cabinet officer to speak out strongly in

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## Illinois Wages-Hour Act Killed

Springfield, Ill., May 7—(AP)—The Illinois house today killed the Hunter bill for a state wages and hours act by a vote of 72 to 50.

The vote upheld the action of the house industrial affairs committee in recommending defeat of the wage-hour bill that had been supported by both A. F. of L. and C. I. O. leaders.

Rep. Edward C. Hunter (D-Rockford), sponsor of the bill, moved that the house overrule the committee's report, calling on Republican members of the lower chamber to "support Governor Green's campaign pledge favoring a minimum wage law".

Defeat of the motion to overrule the committee's action means that the Hunter bill will not appear on the legislative calendar and house leaders acknowledged that the bill was dead.

Climaxing three months of stormy hearings in which merchants, farmers and industrialists attacked the bill and leaders of A. F. of L. and C. I. O. unions supported it, the house committee by a vote of 24 to 9 sent the measure to the floor with a "do not pass" recommendation. A similar bill was tabled three weeks ago in the senate industrial affairs committee.

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## British Claim Many Enemy Planes Downed

London, May 7—(AP)—The air ministry announced today that 19 German planes had been shot down in 24 hours of bitter air fighting over the western European front and acknowledged that seven British fighter planes had been lost.

"Since dawn today", an authoritative statement said, "there has been continuous enemy activity by fighter aircraft near the southeast coast and the Thames estuary".

One British fighter fell into the sea, it was acknowledged, in the clash of channel patrols. (The Germans said six Spitfires were shot down against no Nazi losses.)

## Defense Spending of 18 Billions Next Fiscal Year Predicted Today

Washington, May 7—(AP)—Leon Henderson, defense price administrator, predicted today that "the compulsion of events" would increase defense spending during the coming fiscal year to "at least \$18,000,000,000 and probably to \$20,000,000,000."

This forecast, higher than any previously made officially, was presented to the house ways and means committee in a discussion of the relation of a proposed new \$3,500,000,000 tax program to the big defense-war aid effort.

Budget estimates in January were that defense costs in the next fiscal year would be \$10,800,000,000.

The price administrator expressed agreement with the treasury's new revenue goal of \$3,500,000,000 but opposed excise levies on what he classified as "goods and services".

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## Dollar Wheat

Chicago, May 7—(AP)—A miller paid \$1 a bushel for a load of No. 1 hard wheat in the Chicago carlot market today—the first dollar wheat quotation here since last May.

Wheat futures contracts calling for delivery of grain this month sold above 98 cents a bushel, up 2 cents on the day. At this level May wheat showed an advance of 15 cents a bushel since March 1 and was 28 cents over the low point reached late last summer.

Grain traders said recent strength in wheat was associated partly with progress of legislation in congress under which increased loan rates on the new crop would be authorized. If present prices are maintained, they said, the new 1941 crop should have the highest market value of any harvest since 1937. A year ago wheat tumbled from \$1.13 to 76 cents when the Germans invaded western Europe.

## Terse News

### Licensed To Wed Here

A marriage license was issued today by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to Alvin L. Burkhardt and Miss Lucille M. McCann, both of Steward.

### Leonard At Camp Grant

Daniel Leonard of Lee county was received at the Reception Center at Camp Grant today, where he submitted to the required tests before being admitted to the army.

### Galena Man Drowns

Vernon Moyer, 32, prominent Galena business man and Exalted Ruler of the Elks Lodge of that city, drowned in the Mississippi river Tuesday after falling from his speed boat during a pleasure ride.

### Mendota Man Honored

Joseph P. Stremlau of Mendota was elected warden of the Illinois Knights of Columbus at the annual meeting of the state council at Aurora Tuesday. Leo M. Flynn of Chicago was elected to succeed Judge John F. Bolton, also of Chicago, as state deputy and it was decided to hold next year's convention in Chicago.

### Bureau Co. Medical Soc.—

The May meeting of the Bureau county Medical Society will be held at St. Margaret's hospital in Spring Valley next Tuesday evening, following a dinner at the hospital at 6:30 o'clock. It will be a joint meeting of Bureau county doctors and dentists, and Dr. Joseph E. Schaefer, associate professor of oral surgery at Northwestern University medical school, will be the speaker.

### Home From Convention—

The Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Ford and Mrs. Lucille Poole have returned home from St. Louis where they attended the 90th annual convention of the Disciples of Christ as delegates of the Disciples of Christ as delegates of the Christian church of this city. The sessions were held in the municipal auditorium at St. Louis and the gathering, which was the largest in the history of the organization, attracted a gathering of more than 7,000 persons.

### Argue Labor Board Case—

Attorney Robert L. Bracken of this city and Attorney Roger Rohrbach of Washington, D. C., representing the Reynolds Wire Co. of Dixon, appeared before the United States Court of Appeals in Chicago Monday and argued the last chapter of the Reynolds Wire Co.-Labor Board case. In an election held March 26, last, the C. I. O. union was defeated in a local plant election by a vote of 190 to 163.

### Killmer in Accident—

Wesley W. Killmer, local automobile salesman, escaped injury in an automobile accident on the slippery black top paving on route U. S. 330 near the entrance to the Airport last night about 11:45 o'clock. He was driving toward

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## The Weather

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1941

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago and Vicinity: Fair and slightly cooler tonight; Thursday partly cloudy; moderate to fresh westerly winds.

He said that the treasury proposal for stiffer income taxes on lower and middle income brackets seemed "fair and equitable" although they "may perhaps be more drastic than is necessary at the present". The treasury proposal would add a new and higher system of income surtaxes starting at 11 per cent on the present bottom income tax bracket.

As a counter proposal to the treasury's suggestion for excises on goods, services and luxuries, Henderson recommended greatly stiffened imposts on such goods as automobiles and refrigerators, which he said compete "very heavily" for materials, productive facilities and skill with defense production.

### LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. today: maximum temperature 78; minimum 51; part cloudy; precipitation .31 inches, total for May date .37 inches; total for year to date 8.96.

Thursday: sun rises at 4:52, sets at 7:01.

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## Reconditioning of Axis Ships Rushed; Vote on Bill Nears

### Requisition by Chief Executive Will Be Legalized Soon

#### BULLETIN

Washington, May 7—(AP)—Legislation to permit President Roosevelt to requisition idle foreign ships in United States ports for national defense was passed by the house today and sent to the senate.

Approval came on a roll call vote after the members had defeated two attempts to prohibit the president from transferring any ship taken over from one belligerent to another.

The legislation specifically would authorize the president to purchase, requisition or take title to any idle foreign merchant ship deemed necessary for national defense "for such use or disposition as he shall direct".

It would apply to 83 foreign ships, including 2 German and 28 Italian vessels, and would expire June 30, 1942, unless the present emergency ended before that date.

Washington, May 7—(AP)—While reconditioning of 28 sabotaged axis ships proceeded apace today, the house neared a final vote on legislation to authorize President Roosevelt to requisition idle foreign vessels in United States ports for the nation's defense.

A Maritime Commission official left small doubt that the 26 Italian and two German vessels were being made seaworthy in anticipation of passage of the legislation. He said, when questioned, that the treasury and Maritime Commission "thought it would be a good idea to have the ships in good condition".

The vessels—and two other Italian ships in which no evidence of sabotage was found—were taken into protective custody by the coast guard several weeks ago.

Administration leaders predicted that the ship bill would be dispatched to the senate by mid-afternoon, after disposing of final efforts to amend it.

Rep. Van Zandt (R-Pa.) said an amendment had been prepared to eliminate a section which would authorize Secretary of Commerce Jones to waive compliance with any laws relating to masters, officers, members of the crew or crew accommodations" on any vessel which might come under jurisdiction of the Maritime Commission.

### Would Waive All Laws

"That would waive all laws regarding working conditions, health and everything else", Van Zandt objected.

But Rep. Bland (D-Va.), in charge of the measure on the floor, said that certain laws necessarily must be waived because of differences between crew accommodations on American and foreign ships.

Democratic leaders forecast that Van Zandt's amendment would be defeated.

The bill moved almost to the point of final vote yesterday amid boos, cheers and wild applause. The members witnessed the unusual procedure of a party leader—Representative McCormack (D-Mass.)—being booted when he accused the Republicans of "talking one way and voting another".

But when the day was over, the Democratic majority had defeated the main attack on the bill. That was an amendment by Rep. Cuklin (R-NY) to prohibit the transfer of any ship of belligerent registry that the United States might take to another nation at war.

The bill was introduced by Floyd Drost, 25, and John DiNoto, 22, who were involved in an automobile collision with J. L. Byrne of Chicago. All three were injured.

State highway police said the car driven by Drost was owned by his brother and contained "many cans" of untaxed alcohol.

The federal alcohol tax men said the pair would be arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Edwin K. Walker in Chicago, on charges of conspiracy, transporting and concealing alcohol on which no tax had been paid.

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### FDR Appoints Minton, 'Lame Duck' for Judge

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**Enjoy Tour**

One hundred and seven Home Bureau members enjoyed a tour of the following interesting places in Chicago on Friday, May 2: Chicago Municipal airport, Merchandise Mart, N. B. C. studios, Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Swift's meat packing plant and Hull House.

A delicious lunch was enjoyed at Carson's and a style show was featured during the lunch. The ladies were taken in three chartered buses. One of the buses stayed in Chicago and the occupants attended a show. The others returned home about 8:30 p.m. The following ladies were among those going: Mesdames Charles Goy, Justin Becker, Ray Montavon, Ella Cotter, Tom Finn, Mildred Finn, Wm. Keho, Catherine Schwamserger and the Misses Mayme and Frances McFadden.

**Rural Youth**

The Rural Youth have a skating party at the Dixon rink Thursday evening.

**Dessert-Bridge**

Mrs. James Marchesi entertained her dessert-bridge club at her home on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. O. W. Finkhouser won first; Mrs. William Hill all-cut. Mrs. James Dominetta was a guest.

**Fine Improvement**

William Langley, custodian of the water works has done a fine job seeding and sodding the grounds. This makes a nice improvement.

John Murray is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Jennie Bates of the Eastern Star Home in Rockford is spending several days visiting Mrs. Myrtle Bates.

Charles Aschenbrenner is ill at his home.

The many friends of Mrs. Roy Vivian will be pleased to hear she is showing improvement.

Miss Anna Miller of Joliet spent the week end visiting her father, E. N. Miller.

**Visits Son**

Mrs. Henry Smith left Sunday for Oak Park to visit her sister, Mrs. Harry Doty. On Wednesday she left for Camp Forrest, Tenn., to spend several days visiting her son Winslow who is stationed there.

**Dinner Guests**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naylor of Franklin Grove and Miss Anna Miller of Joliet were guests of E. N. Miller on Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Flatt, a former resident of Amboy passed away suddenly at her home in Clinton, Ill., on Saturday. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon.

The following motored to Clinton to attend: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewett, Charles Davies, Tom of Gladstone, Ill., were callers.

Finn, Ray Finn, Mrs. Ada Carlson and daughter Alta Grace, Louise Bushman and Anna J. McCoy homes. Mr. Alexander will be remembered as the son of A. D. Alexander who was manager of the Walton elevator for a number of years.

**Hospital News**  
Bernard Sullivan returned to his home on Tuesday after being a patient at the hospital.

Mrs. Nels Jensen is a medical patient at the hospital. Mrs. Augusta Shoemaker, R. N., is on special duty caring for her.

Patrick Gorman of Marion, Ind., was a medical patient at the hospital on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. John Hillison is still receiving care at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dieter, daughter Kathleen and son Eddie Joe motored to Milwaukee, Wis., on Sunday where Kathleen enrolled in Marquette university for the coming year. On their return home they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dieter at Breighton, Wis., for a short visit.

**Jordan-Smith Nuptials**

On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Crown Point, Ind., Miss Wynette Jordan of Ashton and Jay Smith were quietly married.

Miss Jordan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jordan of Ashton. She attended the Rockford schools and was employed at the Farm Bureau. Mr. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith. He received his education in the Amboy schools and for the past four years has been employed at the wire mill in Dixon. The couple are at home with the groom's parents for the present.

Their many friends wish them much happiness in their wedded life.

Mrs. Peter McCoy, Mrs. P. H. Dunphy, Mrs. Otto Hecker and Mrs. Jacobs were among those who attended the Home Bureau trip to Chicago last Friday. Ideal weather prevailed and a very pleasant trip was had by all.

Mrs. Mary McFadden who spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Carrington and husband and family has returned to her home in Storm Lake, Iowa.

Mrs. Lena Morrissey and daughter Catherine spent Saturday afternoon and evening in Amboy.

Mrs. Anna Hecker has gone to Aurora to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Burg. Mr. Burg is quite ill of pneumonia at the hospital in Aurora.

Milton Baumann and Miss Gertrude McCoy of Aurora were callers at the Peter McCoy home Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. L. Carrington and daughter Mary were callers Wednesday at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

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**COMPTON**

Mrs. T. Bauer, Reporter

**Saturday at the Peter McCoy, Mrs. James Thompson, Sr. and Mrs. Jennie Bates of Rockford.**

Ed Staup of Maywood, a former resident, passed away. Two children, Miss Nina and Dorsey, both of Maywood, survive.

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Miss Margaret Conroy and her mother, Mrs. John Conroy, attended the G. A. A. banquet in Amboy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCoy were callers Tuesday evening at the John McCoy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Morrissey and family of Ohio spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lena Morrissey and Mr. and Mrs. John Morrissey.

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**Bridge Party**

Mrs. Anna Petleys, Mrs. Edna Irwin, Mrs. Helen Pool, Mrs. Lila Edan, attended a bridge party at Rollo Saturday given by the Home Bureau. A dessert luncheon was served at the close of the party.

Miss Mildred Weisenel and the mothers and children of Webber school enjoyed a trip to Brookfield Zoo Monday, April 28. A scramble dinner was enjoyed. There were 19 women and children who made the trip.

Mrs. Anna Miller closed her school Sunday with a picnic dinner at noon. Games were played and a good time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gascoigne had as their supper guests Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sears and two sons Junior and Jimmy of Amboy.

Misses Clara and Henrietta Buchman of Dixon were Sunday dinner guests of their brother, Frank Buchman.

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Mrs. Neita Vaughan and Lucille Entorf of Amboy were entertained at dinner Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy June.

About fifty attended the school picnic held at the school yard Sunday at noon.

Cars traveling at 30 miles an hour can stop within 57 feet on anti-skid streets surfaced with dolomite, asphalt, and filler.

**Temperance Hill**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ankney and Jean Burkhorn of Amboy were entertained for supper Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison.

Frank Buchman has been quite ill and confined to his bed, suffering with a kidney infection. He is now up and around.

Mrs. Maude Ball, Mrs. Nina Spangler and two sons Kenneth and Gordon of Amboy enjoyed Sunday dinner with the George Pankhurst family.

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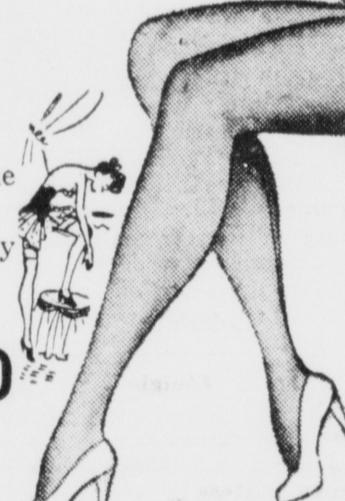
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# Society News

## Verses by Dixon Woman Appear in Poetry Journal

Three poems by Bessie E. Boardman Wingert (Mrs. E. E. Wingert) appear in the March-April issue of "Scimitar and Song," a bi-monthly poetry journal published in North Carolina. One of the poems, which Mrs. Wingert calls "The Close of Day," was inspired by a view from Galena avenue bridge; another, "Phantom Trail," describes a ride on a foggy night from Ashton to Dixon; and the third, "Night at the Cottage," pictures the Rock river at the Wingert cabin, across from "Hawthorwood" Springs.

*Verses of The Close of Day:*

Grey—solid grey, was the east  
With a fleck of blue,  
But the moon hung full in the  
midst,

And let the glory through.

Bright rays that follow the sunset  
gave color to the west,  
While the grey and the glory  
deepened.

As the world was sinking to rest.

I crossed the bridge between them  
The sunset and the grey—  
From the east the night was  
coming.

In the west—the passing day.

## DIXON GIRL TO SING IN ORATORIO

Nina Bogue daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bogue of 312 Ottawa avenue, will appear with the Cornell college oratorio society in a music festival on Saturday afternoon, May 17, when the society presents Brahms' "Requiem." Members of the Chicago Symphony orchestra will accompany the singers, with Hans Lange conducting the program.

Kathryn Witwer and Bruce Foote are soloists for the event. A chorus of 165 well-trained voices will present the brilliant concert setting of Biblical texts.

The chorus has been trained by Harold W. Baltz, director of the Cornell conservatory. Final rehearsals have been under the direction of Hans Lange, associate conductor of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

PINE NEEDLES CLUB

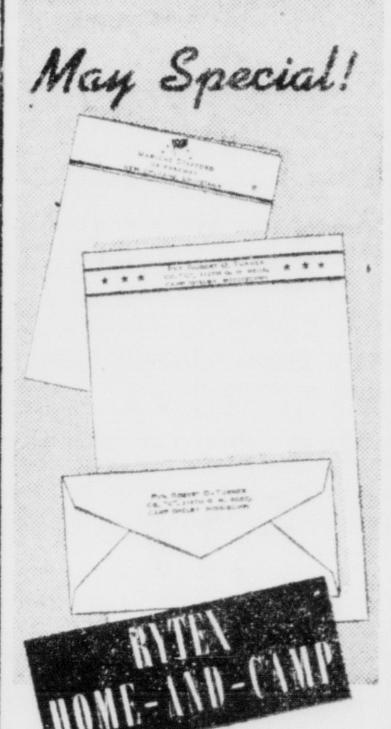
Members of the Pine Needles 4-H club elected officers on Saturday at an organization meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph Stull. Fourteen girls were present, in addition to the three leaders, Mrs. Ruth Balluff, Mrs. Mason Hopkins, and Mrs. Ralph Stull.

Officers named were: President, Wanda Sheely; vice president, Marion Sheir; secretary-treasurer, Patricia Stull; reporter, Juanita Pettitt; game instructor, Louise Travis. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mason Hopkins.

NACHUSA CLUB

The meeting which members of the Nachusa Mother's club had planned for Thursday evening at Mrs. Wesley Hockman's home has been postponed indefinitely.



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## VARIED PROGRAM, PROMISED BY MEISTER SINGERS FOR DIXON CONCERT, TOMORROW EVENING

A talented ensemble of Kewanee entertainers, including four singers, a pianist and a reader, will be traveling to Dixon tomorrow evening to present an 8 o'clock concert in the Loveland Community House auditorium, under auspices of Dixon chapter of Wa-Tan-Ye for benefit of Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital.

The musicians are the Meister Singers, Fern Jones Lamb and Violet Parsons, sopranos; Doris Smith and Myrtle Nelson contraltos; and Ethel Kopitz, pianist. They will be assisted by Miss Beatrice Murchison, reader.

A varied program has been arranged by the ensemble for their Dixon debut, the numbers including:

Quartet—

The Lord Is My Shepherd ..... Schubert

Evening Brings Us Home ..... Moore

Remember Now Thy Creator ..... Adams

Trio—

Faith, Hope and Love ..... Shelley

Fern Jones Lamb, Doris Smith, Myrtle Nelson

Quartet—

Nocturne ..... Cain

Ye Who the Longing Know ..... Tschaikowsky-Brown

Homing ..... Del Riego

Solo—

My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice ..... Saint-Saens

Reading—

Madame X ..... Bisson and McConaughy

Beatrice Murchison

Quartet—

Serenade ..... Romberg

Moonbeams ..... Herbert

Indian Love Call ..... Friml

Italian Street Song ..... Herbert

Reading—

Motoring in the Nineties ..... Anonymous

Duet—

Sylvia ..... Speaks

Quartet—

Mighty Lak' A Rose ..... Nevin

Venetian Love Song ..... Nevin

Before the program starts, homemade candy will be offered the concert-goers by Mrs. Jessie Burtsfield and Mrs. D. C. Bryant, another project of the sponsors to swell the fund for furnishing a five-bed ward in the new addition of the hospital. The candy-makers are asked to have their wares at the civic center by 7:30 o'clock.

Tickets for the concert may be purchased at the door tomorrow evening, or from any of the chapter members. Miss Mary Alice Buchanan is the chapter president.

## Calendar

### Tonight

South Dixon Teacher's Reading circle—Scramble supper, 6 p.m.; Miss Ruth Bollman, hostess.

Junior linkswomen, Dixon Country club—Twilight supper match.

### Thursday

Sunshine club—Mrs. Roy Fischer, hostess.

Meister Singers of Kewanee—Will entertain at Loveland Community House, 8 p.m., under auspices of Dixon chapter of Wa-Tan-Ye.

American Legion Auxiliary—Mrs. Edward Christman, hostess; all-day sewing; scramble luncheon.

Thursday Reading circle—Mrs. Lydia Parks and Mrs. Ailiani Reed, hostesses, 2:30 p.m.

Palmira Home Bureau unit—Mrs. Lawrence Schott, hostess, 1:30 p.m.

Mothers and daughters, Presbyterian church—Mother-Daughter banquet at church, 6:30 p.m.

Twenty-first Century Literary club—Mrs. Roy Diehl, hostess, Room mothers of Lincoln P.T.A.—At school, 2:30 p.m.

St. James W. M. S.—Mrs.

Leslie Pankhurst, hostess, 2 p.m.

Nachusa W. M. S.—At parsonage 2 p.m.

W. S. C. S.—Methodist church—Circle One, Mrs. Frank Thompson, hostess; picnic luncheon, 1 p.m.; Circle Four, at C. C. Hintz home, 2:30 p.m.

W. M. S., St. Paul's Lutheran church—Semi-Annual Thank Offering meeting; picnic supper, 6:30 p.m.

Anna Kellogg Baker tent, D. U. V.—Business session in G. A. R. hall, 2:30 p.m.

Dixon Afternoon Home Bureau unit—Mrs. Allen Bowman, hostess, 1:30 p.m.

Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge Regular meeting, 8 p.m.

Candlelighters, Presbyterian church—Mrs. R. W. Begue, hostess, 2:30 p.m.

Corinthian shrine, W. S. of J.—At Masonic temple, 8 p.m.; refreshments.

W. S. C. S.—Methodist church—Circle Two, at Mrs. Roy Scholl's home, 2:30 p.m.; Circle Three, Mrs. A. N. Boyd, hostess, 2:30 p.m.

Thursday Reading circle—Mrs. Lydia Parks and Mrs. Ailiani Reed, hostesses, 2:30 p.m.

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## DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

### Nancy Wolfe Is Party Hostess

A very young Dixon hostess whose father is attending a commanding officers' training school at Fort Benning, Georgia, chose patriotic decorations and favors for a party given yesterday afternoon by her mother in celebration of her seventh birthday anniversary. The little girl was Nancy Wolfe, daughter of Lieut. and Mrs. Wayne Wolfe, who received her party guests at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Harry Stephan.

Tiny American flags and seven red, white and blue candies topped the white birthday cake in the center of the refreshment table. A procession of wee American soldiers marched around the cake and were given as favors, together with red, white and blue miltcup containing candies and red lollipops.

Nancy's guests included Mary Dixon, Joan Yount, Beverly Beier, Marylee Scales, Judy Jones, and Susie Jones.

A week from today, Mrs. Wolfe and Nancy expect to leave for Fort Benning to spend the next two months with Lieutenant Wolfe, who plans to return to Camp Forrest some time in July to resume command of Company A.

### Two Teachers Share Compliment

A basket of yellow tulips was the centerpiece on a dinner table seating 27, when the Lincoln grade school faculty and special teachers entertained Monday evening at Grand Detour in courtesy to two teachers-to-be, Miss Pearl Richards and Miss Louise Hintz.

Two-branched silver candelabra were bridal gifts for the honorees. Mrs. Margaret Richards, made the presentation to Miss Richards, fiancee of John Babcock of Chicago and Miss Ruth Crombie presented gift package for Miss Hintz, fiancee of Lyle Shader of Washington, D. C.

On Saturday, Miss Mercedes Moore of Paw Paw, member of the Lincoln school faculty, was entertaining at luncheon for 16 in compliment to Miss Richards. A crystal mayonnaise set was the group's gift for the bride-elect, who is planning a September wedding.

Wildcat—Thomas Walker Patterson, Jr.; Alice May Morris, teacher; Burkett—Lois Marguerite Barlow; Goldie Gigous, teacher; White Temple—Celia May Dieterleand, Mary Jane Hardy, Hazel D. Wasmund, teacher; Elerton—Lois Nadene Mayes, David Lee Compton, Laron Marion Nyght, and Edward Eugene Hubbs; Marion Hahn, teacher.

Bend—Mary Ann Huggins, Marvel Heagy, teacher; Sugar Grove—Elmer Charles Boos; Anna M. Lawton, teacher; Duis—Doris Emily Flessner, Raymond

Hubbs; Marion Hahn, teacher.

Proceeds are to be used to furnish a five-bed ward in new addition to Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital.

Miss Beatrice Murchison, reader, will assist the singers. The ensemble is widely-known to audiences throughout Illinois and adjoining states.

ADMISSION 50c

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### Eighth Graders to Receive Diplomas at Commencement

More than 50 eighth grade students will receive diplomas at Commencement exercises for the class of 1941 of Lee county's rural schools, to be held Wednesday evening, May 14, in the Dixon high school auditorium. The program has been announced for 8 o'clock.

Graduates of the various schools and their teachers include: Wolverine—Kenneth Robt. Levan; Delores Redebough, teacher; Preston—Emmett Carr William Eisele; Mrs. Inez Finch, teacher; Nachusa Home—Dorothy Jane Brace, William F. Rahe, John C. Wolbart, Richard W. York and Ruby J. Stull; Leona V. Heberlein, teacher.

Nachusa—Gladys Geraldine Murray; Grace C. Jacobs, teacher; Stony Point—Ida Marie Fore, Gust E. Kavadas, and Patricia Jane Risley; Maybel S. Cross, teacher; Leonard—Kathleen Eileen Gillan and Walter Bourget Fellows; Sara K. McGinnis, teacher.

Edward Pitzer, George Emmanuel Pitzer, and Paul Albert Beard; Dorothy Snippet, teacher; Hazelwood—Gladys Hackbart; Vera Anning, teacher. Cook—Frances Mae Ransom; Beth Atkinson, teacher; Will—Darlene Clara Leffelman; Julia Brechin, teacher; Lieyan—Dorothy Mary Levan and June Carolyn Baker; Ella Mae Herbert, teacher; Kelly—Darlene Eva Schulte and Fern Ruth Schulte; Celesta Ackert, teacher.

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DIXON PAIR IS WED IN SOUTH

Mrs. Mildred Malarkey of Los Angeles, Calif., formerly of Dixon, is making known the marriage of her youngest daughter, Marjorie Lois, to Ray Noelle Clark, son of the George Clarks of Dixon. The ceremony was solemnized Sunday, May 4, in Fulton, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark are residing at 216 East Sixth street. The bridegroom is manager of a filling station on Chicago avenue.

O. E. S. CLUB

Dessert was followed by contract bridge at the monthly meeting of the O. E. S. Parlor club on Monday at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. Mrs. Charles Sworn and Mrs. R

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## GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

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## A Thought For Today

But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.—Matthew 24:13.

God is with those who persevere.—Koran.

## Matter of Freedom

There used to be a French philosopher, Voltaire, who said:

"I wholly disagree with what you say, but I will fight to the death for your right to say it."

The President of the United States a few days ago made some remarks about what Col. Charles A. Lindbergh had said previously about possible American involvement in the European war.

He seemed to classify the aviator with the northern copperheads of the Civil War period.

This reference by the President has been construed by some as an effort to stifle free speech. Perhaps the President's words might have that effect, but it is possible that the President, engrossed by multitudinous cares, said something he might not have said after more careful deliberation.

Just prior to the Lindbergh speech, or about that time, Mr. Roosevelt said he wanted some issue or other debated over the country, around crack barrels, etc.

People can't debate without saying what they think. But if they are to have the copperhead charge hurled at them by the first citizen of the land, some of them will hesitate to say what they think.

Mr. Roosevelt, like Voltaire, might be willing to fight to the death to preserve Mr. Lindbergh's right to say what is on the Lindbergh mind. Mr. Roosevelt may not realize, however, that for a President to call Lindbergh an odious name is about the only way to squelch a speaker in a democracy. The further suggestion is that if a man can be denied in any manner of the privilege of speaking freely, then democracy itself is in peril.

## SERIAL STORY

## LOVE POWER

BY OREN ARNOLD

**YESTERDAY:** When Carolyn reaches Blair, Bob has already landed safely, is searching for her. Together they store the X-999 deep in the mountain. Carolyn is happy in her new home, but she knows Leana has not given up. She will strike again. But Carolyn has to stay on the job. To run away would leave Bob helpless, alone.

## LEANA AWAITS CHANCE

## CHAPTER XX

DURING the six weeks that followed Carolyn's sensational arrival in Arizona, life settled into an oddly contrasting and beautiful routine. It was as if the frenzied troubles had all passed away with that midnight rainstorm, leaving the skies both figuratively and literally blue.

Carolyn had telephoned her mother and Mrs. Tyler, happily excited in her own right now, had packed their trunks and personal effects to follow west. It was a big change in her life. It subtracted years from her countenance.

They decided to take her mother into partial confidence, explaining that the "chemical substance" was hidden in the abandoned Copper King Mine shaft only because it was valuable and "dangerous to persons who wouldn't handle it properly." They did not tell her just how terrifically great it was in explosive power, lest she be uneasy.

"It is a mighty big mountain for a laboratory," Mrs. Tyler gazed at Bob Peal in awe.

Dr. Hale nodded. "About 8000 feet. Odd formation, really. Note the bald, perpendicular spot on top—that's a granite face. Left half the mountain, seen from here, is almost solid rock. Other half, you'll note, had up-ended strata, loose shale and all manner of stuff. There are several beautiful old trails. Mrs. Tyler, I shall order a very gentle horse for you."

MRS. TYLER appreciated his thoughtfulness. The more she saw of Dr. Robert Hale, the better she liked him. She couldn't blame her impressionable daughter for being a little bit "foolish" about such a man. A young girl is likely to idealize any gentlemanly employer, wise Mrs. Tyler knew. On the other hand, Carolyn was singularly mature, not given to flighty fall-in-love impulses.

Carolyn saw Leana Sormi only when chance or circumstance required it, as when in Bob's presence. The two women would speak with at least surface courtesy, but never actually converse.

Leana had been installed in a rather luxuriously fitted three-room cabin and had her private caretaker and cook, a trained Hopi Indian woman.

**TONIGHT:** Carolyn has been in piecemeal. As for Carolyn, she lived in a constant state of suspense and restrained excitement—a condition most pleasant for any vivacious person. She acquired it through her employment, which was a steady (hence delightful) intimacy with Bob Hale. Through her he recorded every move the experimenters made.

That very intimacy with Bob, however, was observed day by day by Leana Sormi. And Carolyn knew it. Realization of Leana's jealousy kept alive the only flaw in an otherwise perfect existence here.

When "nothing happened" for the first month Carolyn tried to tell herself that Leana was afraid to take any further action; common sense told her that deduction was wrong. Her vague but wholly dependable intuition (itself another manifestation of common sense and unconscious reasoning) warned Carolyn to be alert.

There were quick little moments of affection which Leana showed to Bob. Quick little moments when Bob, terrifically busy now remembered to pay personal courtesies to Leana. Other moments keenly observed, when Bob took Carolyn horseback riding or on a drive to Blair or to Boulder City, and she saw Leana's face strain with anger as they left.

A shrewd girl could see these things whereas a casual observer would not. Carolyn knew that Leana Sormi was secretly raging.

And indeed she was.

Leana lived almost in solitude, save for actual hours in the laboratory with its odd looking instruments and the scientists she must encounter and work with there. The men treated her with deference, admittedly due. But they were wrapped wholly in the task at hand. Only Bob seemed ever to see her as a person and, maddeningly, even his attentions were no more than gestures one tosses at a child. Or so Leana felt.

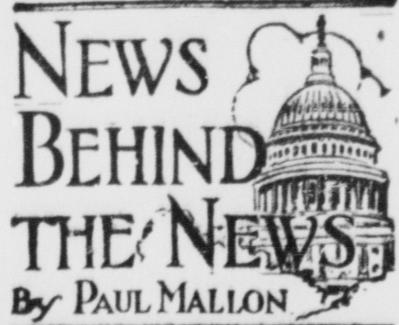
Evenings, alone in her cabin, Leana made desperate personal plans. And it was after an evening when most of the new village personnel had met for dinner together in the largest house, and Bob and Carolyn had relaxed so as to laugh heartily like the young people they were and had even danced twice to radio music, that Leana felt her resistance again give way.

"It is unbelievable!" old Dr. O'Mara cried.

"But it works!" shot back practical Devereaux, an automobile and airplane manufacturer. "I don't need to tell you people that this will revolutionize all the world's engineering."

THAT was true, too true for most of them to grasp except

(To Be Continued)



This column is co-operating with our reservation with the War and Navy departments to print circulation of any selected military value which would affect the interests of the United States or the cause of Great Britain.

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Washington, May 6—A tasty peace program is brewing. The Nazi foreign office in Berlin is the brewery, but the product will shortly be submitted to the public under a neutral label (definitely not Japan's).

All that can be picked up here indicates it will be "generous" in appearance. France may be restored except Alsace-Lorraine and the channel ports. Holland and Belgium would be grouped into one under King Leopold. Two and perhaps three Scandinavian nations would be joined under the Swedish or Danish king. The Balkans would be hegemonized under Hungary to produce the raw materials and industrial markets Hitler wants. Egypt's independence would be transferred from Britain's supervision to that of Germany. Italy would get her pre-war empire, Turkey a wider sphere in the Near East, and Russia a port outlet on the Persian gulf. Britain, Canada and Australia would stay where they are (don't know about India).

This is some neat brewing, but no matter how you brew it, the foam will be too big for the bitter gall underneath. It simply would mean a Hitlerized Europe under decentralized control.

Hitler could save his brewmeisters the work as far as this government is concerned and Britain's also. Nevertheless the plan is likely to be submitted to the world for its propaganda effect.

The stark, strong facts of our defense deficiencies here laid out more than sixty days back in an official speech that passed almost unnoticed. Since the Balkans fell, February 22, the deputy director of defense production, William L. Batt, proclaimed our proud defense effort was not half enough. Excerpts:

"Germany is spending more than \$20,000,000,000 a year on armaments" . . . "The United States spent less than \$2,000,000,000 in

the final six months of last year which will be able to spend no more than \$6,000,000,000 the first six months of this." Batt probably overestimated this figure as actual expenditures are likely to be nearer \$4,000,000,000. "We are now spending at the rate of one-fourth of Germany alone" and that does not take into account the factories of France, Belgium and Holland working full blast for the German armed forces . . . "We must double—no that is not enough—we must multiply three, four, five and even ten times our present rate of shipments to Britain. Then and only then will it tip the balance in favor of Britain..

"The public does not have the slightest comprehension of the meaning and consequences of this program."

"To do our job we should spend at least \$20,000,000,000 or \$30,000,000,000 a year, perhaps much more".

Dullest of all current Washington events is the most important, the tax hearings which will transfuse much of the economic lifeblood of the people to the government. Important tax witnesses have generally failed to appear. No important controversy has developed. No one (including Mr. Roosevelt) has been going on the radio or making important speeches about the \$3,500,000,000 pocketbook draining provisions of the bill.

There is no question about the measure passing in a final form, somewhere between the close variants of the treasury and house committee programs, possibly within six weeks.

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## Happy Birthday

MAY 7

Mrs. Nathan Blackburn; Carl Schaefer, Harmon.

MAY 8

Mrs. Charlie Kent; Harmon; Mary Ellen Henkel; 6. Harmon; Roy Babin; Nelson.

## Armored Divisions Stage Exhibition at Camp Forrest

Camp Forrest, Tenn., May 7.—(AP)—The equipment and technique used by America's newly-developed armored divisions—patterned after Germany's famed Panzer units—have been shown to a host of military dignitaries, including Lt. Gen. Ben S. Lear, commander of the Second Army.

The center of attraction were two tanks that performed the spectacular feat of crashing through wooden shacks and bouncing again and again over a rough gully whose steep slopes proved no obstacle.

Several officers, including the camp commander, Maj. Gen. Samuel T. Lawton, took turns riding in the tanks.

The exhibition was staged under the direction of Maj. Gen. C. L. Scott, commander of the First Armored Corps, composed of the first and second armored divisions stationed at Fort Knox, Ky., and Fort Benning, Ga.

The tanks, General Scott explained, were of the types not now in manufacture, having been replaced by more modern designs.

One was the medium tank, an 18-ton vehicle with inch and a half armor plating and equipped with eight .30 caliber machine guns, one Thompson sub-machine gun and a 37 mm gun.

## In June Maneuvers

The other was a light tank weighing 12½ tons and equipped with five .30 caliber machine guns, one 45 caliber Thompson machine gun and one 37 mm gun.

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This virtually would shut off Panama trade with the east coast of South America and force Japan to deliver such principal cargoes as silk to the west coast.

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## HOLD EVERYTHING



"Don't let this apron fool you—I wear the pants in this family!"

## Deaths

## Suburban

MRS. EMILY BOWLES

(Telegraph Special Service)

Ashton, May 7—Mrs. Emily Bowles passed away here at 10:30 this morning at the home of her brother, August Oesterheld, following an illness of several months during which she had been cared for by her brothers and Mrs. Gertrude Wallace.

Mrs. Bowles was well known here when she had formerly lived at the Allen Harrison home when she took care of Harrison children and her father, now deceased.

She is survived by five brothers, Lou and John Oesterheld of Chicago, Fred of Dixon, William of Rochelle and August of Ashton and two sisters, Mrs. Scott Spangler of Ashton and Mrs. Minnie Ankenny of Minnesota.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 o'clock at the Stephan funeral home here.

## 10 YEARS AGO

Federated Women's Clubs of the Thirteenth district opened their annual convention in Dixon today.

## People's Column

## BOOSTS RUSSELL SHOWS

Concerning the Russell Brothers' circus which will visit Dixon next Tuesday, Ayres Davies, former Dixon boy, writes the editor as follows:

"Recently I visited with the advance agent for Russell Bros. circus, and he informed me that it was his intention to include Dixon in his route this spring. I was very happy to hear this for I was with the show during the summers of 1937 and 1938. I feel that it is an excellent opportunity for Dixon to get the best circus that it has had in a good many years. Russell Bros. isn't the largest show on the road, but it is one of the cleanest and has a wonderful reputation for presenting fine performances. During the summers that I worked with the show, I never once heard anything but praise from the citizens of the various towns we visited."

"In the last few years the circus has suffered because of abnormal business conditions and many of the oldest shows have had to fold up their tents for good. Russell Bros. has managed to stay on the road and I believe it is because of its excellent record in presenting what was advertised."

Mr. Janssen was born in Germany Sept. 13, 1878, coming to the United States when he was four years of age. On Oct. 22, 1902 he was married to Miss Emma Myers who preceded him in death five years ago. He is survived by one son, Leslie, at home; and four sisters, Mrs. Andrew Rademaker and Mrs. Ray Ludwig, both of Forreston. Mrs. John Toomson of Leaf River and Mrs. Melvin Hammond of Adeline.

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Attacking the state administration program to double existing taxes on alcoholic beverages but not on soft drinks, Rep. George Fitzgerald (D-Chicago) introduced in the house today a bill which would impose an estimated \$8,500 a year in state taxes on non-intoxicating drinks.

Fitzgerald said he saw "no justification" for higher taxes on intoxicants without imposing similar levies on consumers of soft drinks. His bill would put a one-cent tax on soft drinks selling at five cents and tax at the rate of 76 cents a gallon syrup used in the manufacture of non-alcoholic beverages.

## Births

## (At Katherine Shaw Bethea Hospital)

SMITH—To Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, R. F. D. 3, Dixon, May 6, a son.

WULF—To Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Wulf, Morrison, May 7, a daughter.

KRUG—To Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Krug, Ashton, a daughter, May 7.

The air transport industry is in operation 118 misplaced planes with facilities for carrying 21 passengers or more in 1940, an increase of 114 per cent over 1939 when 55 planes were placed in operation.

## Red Cross Seeks 1,000 U. S. Doctors To Aid Britain on Far-flung Front

# Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

## TAKE YOUR PEN IN HAND

Danny Fane, who all youse guys and gals remember as one of the best slingers, is now in there batting 1,000 for the United States army in Tennessee and would appreciate it very much if you'd take your pen in hand and drop him a line to keep him informed on "good old Dixon." Better take down this address: Pvt. Dan Fane, Co. F, 131st Inf., Tullahoma, Tenn. Who'll be first?

## THE STRING AROUND YOUR FINGER

That string around your finger, for you members of the Dixon Country club, is to remind you of the grand opening program tomorrow at the club where special prizes await you for low cards in several events. Toppling the big day will be a dinner at the clubhouse following the games and you'd better get your reservation in tonight with Mrs. Jack Sharkey, club caterer, if you want anything to eat.

## ONE, TWO, THREE, SHIFT

The juggling in the coaching positions in these parts has everyone's head in something of a whirl. Look 'em over (if it doesn't make you dizzy) in a review of the recent developments: Jim Trees is out at DeKalb with new basketball and football mentors already having been named; Victor Baumgartner and William Craig have resigned at Belvidere high school; John Mitchell has resigned at Franklin Grove; Owen Roston of Polo leaves his position at the end of the school year; Paul Vaupel shifts from Leaf River to Monroe Center; Burnell Oesterle leaves Monroe Center to become principal of a grade school in Marengo; Alfred Strepzak leaves Sterling Community and is reported to be going to one of two jobs open at Marengo... where do we go from here?

## TROTTING DOWN THE TRAIL

Under the new secretary, Arthur Keithahn, the Rock River Trail Ride and Horseman's association, is mapping out a new publicity campaign to keep us all better informed. Following the success of last Sunday's trail ride from Polo, another event is planned for June. In addition to those named from here who went on Sunday's ride were Carl Hasselberg and daughter, Sarah, J. L. Glassburn and Clarence Meyers.

## A GREAT SIGHT

Ben Schildberg who literally gets up with the birds (pigeons) reports that he saw a great sight Sunday morning when about 100 pigeons, liberated by a Chicago racing club, flew overhead on their way from Sterling back to their home lofts. The Dixon pigeon raiser said that the birds were flying abreast, between 8 and 10 birds deep, over a distance of about a half mile. The pigeons will be liberated again next Sunday from Sterling and if you want to see them fly over here you'll have to get up about the same time as Mr. Schildberg did—quarter after six!

## FLINGER IS SORE

Bus Carlson, second baseman for the Knacks for the past three seasons and who is now working out with the Oshkosh club of the Wisconsin State league, is reported to be suffering a little with sore-armitis but is expected to be ready to return to the field soon.

## KNACKS HOLD PRACTICE SESSION

The Knacks held their first mid-week practice session last night at Reynolds Field with about 15 to 20 players reporting for batting and infield practice. Among the best hustlers on the team this year appear to be Worth Windmiller and Clet Full who are really stepping high, wide and handsome. Windy will be unable to play in the opening game here Sunday against the Freeport Stovers and Full will leave his shortstop position to take up duties behind the plate. The boys will practice again Thursday night.

## GRAND DETOUR TEAM ISSUES CHALLENGE

Tom Frum, manager of the Grand Detour softball team, challenges the Dixon A. & P. team to a game and would appreciate it if the grocery lads would contact him. Included on his team are George Blanchard, Henry Jacobson, Lloyd Hoff, Floyd Netz, Paul Page, Dean Ruggles, Floyd Jones, Carol Hose and Joe Catalina.

## COUNTRY CLUB OFFICERS

Officers of the Dixon Country club for the 1941 season are: George Beier, president; John Roe, vice president; Ben Roe, secretary and Harry Badger, treasurer. Directors who serve with the officers on the board are Victor Eichler, George Birch and Robert L. Bracken.

## JOINS AIR CORPS

Nelson Lambert, one of the stalwarts on Coach C. B. Lindell's football team here a few years ago, is reported to have enlisted in the 58th Pursuit Group of the United States Army at Baton Rouge, La.

## IN A HUDDLE

The big-wigs of the Knacks outfit who include Manager Hi Emmer and his assistants Bill Bushman, Ward Miller, Harry Downs and Sponsor Walter C. Knack will get in a huddle after the practice session Thursday night to pick the starting lineup for Sunday's game with the Freeport Stovers. Emmert says the boys are to report at Knack's office at 10 o'clock Sunday morning for their uniforms and if they can't be there at that time Emmert will have their outfits at the field at noon.

## FOR NEWLYWEDS-TO-BE

Miss Sylvia Carey and Don Bush who are to be married on May 18, will be guests of honor at the party for club members at Plum Hollow Golf and Country club next Saturday night. Everyone will work up an appetite with some pre-serving dancing.

## DOUGH COLLECTORS

Matt Moerschbaecker and Everett Brown, Dixon bowlers, were among the 55 keggers who placed "in the dough" in the final standings of the DeKalb handicap tournament which ended last week end. Matt will collect \$3.50 for 32nd place with a score of 602 and Brown gets three bucks for 39th place with a 595 score. Leo Kuecks of DeKalb won the men's division with a 699 total and will collect thirty pieces of lettuce.

**Handicap Performers Steal Spotlight from Leading Preakness Candidates**

Baltimore, May 7—(AP)—Bold Irishman and Woodvale Handicap performers stole the Farm's Our Boots spotlight from Whirlaway and other Preakness candidates today as Pimlico's "four golden days of racing" opened with the \$20,000-add Dixie Handicap.

Plenty of Preakness pros and cons were going the rounds, but chief interest lay in the Dixie and the first appearance in the east this year of C. S. Howard's Mioland, current leader of the handicap division.

Mioland, winner of four major stakes this winter on the west coast, faced another exacting test in the Dixie against some of the best distance runners in the country.

Mioland was asked to shoulder top weight of 129 pounds in the mile-and-three-sixteenths gallop, conceding nine pounds to Mrs. G. D. Widener's Your Chance, second-high weight in the field of 11, and 29 pounds to Mrs. Ella Bryson's feather-weighted filly Cis Marion.

## "Name" Horses

"Name" horses entered included Woodvale Farm's Hatal, winner of the McLennan and Clark Handicaps; Mrs. Ethel W. Mars' Gallahadion, 1940 Derby winner; Mrs. A. J. Bael's Honey Cloud, 1940 Dixie winner, and Mrs. Marie Evans' Shot Put, the long-distance champion.

Arnold Hanger's Dit, R. Sterling Clark's Saguenay 2nd, Valdina Farm's Viscount and Green-tree Stable's Corydon completed the field.

Speculation on the 51st running Saturday of the 50,000-added Preakness centered, meanwhile, around four horses—Warren Wright's Kentucky Derby winner Whirlaway, Crispin Oglebay's Ocean Blue, Wheatley Stable's

# Dixon and Sterling Trackmen Threaten Records Tonight

## ST. PAUL RETURNS TO NORMAL AFTER ABC TOURNAMENT

### Estimated More Than \$2,000,000 Left in the Host City

St. Paul, Minn., May 7.—(AP)—This town will go back to normality today, after a hectic 55-day program of the American Bowling Congress.

While the 40 drives were being removed from the St. Paul auditorium last night, signs and banners of "Welcome ABC" were being pulled down from the city's streets.

It was estimated that more than \$2,000,000 was left in town by the 35,000 bowlers and the fans who attended the pin-popping carnival.

None of the high 10 minor leaders was threatened on the final day, after the Vogels Brothers team of Forest Park, Ill., had clinched the team event Monday with a 3,065 total. Bill Lee and Ray Farness of Madison, Wis., won the doubles with 1,36; Fred Ruff, Jr., of Belleville, Ill., the singles via a 745 total, while Harold Kline gave South Bend, Ind., its first ten pin title in winning the all-events with 2,013.

## Attendance Records Broken

All attendance records were broken, more than 150,000 customers clicking through the turnstiles, twenty-five scores of 700 or better were chalked up in the singles for another new high. The previous top, 19, was set last year.

Low scores to qualify for the \$200,000 jackpot are approximately 2,671 in the team event; 1,125 doubles; 576 singles and 1,795 in the all-events.

Next year the meet moves to Columbus, Ohio.

## HOW THEY STAND

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Results Yesterday  
New York 5; Chicago 3.  
Philadelphia 5; Cincinnati 2.  
Boston 5; St. Louis 4.  
Brooklyn 7; Pittsburgh 3.

**Standings**

|              | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| St. Louis    | 15 | 4  | .789 |
| Brooklyn     | 16 | 6  | .762 |
| New York     | 10 | 8  | .556 |
| Cincinnati   | 8  | 11 | .421 |
| Boston       | 8  | 11 | .421 |
| Pittsburgh   | 6  | 11 | .356 |
| Philadelphia | 7  | 13 | .350 |
| Chicago      | 5  | 11 | .313 |

**Games Today**

Chicago at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburgh at Boston.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at New York.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Results Yesterday  
Washington 5; Cleveland 3.  
Detroit 7; New York 4.  
Boston at St. Louis, postponed rain.

Philadelphia at Chicago, postponed rain.

**Standings**

|              | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Cleveland    | 16 | 5  | .762 |
| Detroit      | 11 | 8  | .579 |
| Chicago      | 10 | 8  | .556 |
| New York     | 12 | 10 | .545 |
| Boston       | 9  | 8  | .529 |
| Philadelphia | 6  | 12 | .333 |
| Washington   | 7  | 13 | .330 |
| St. Louis    | 4  | 11 | .267 |

**Games Today**

Boston at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at St. Louis.  
Washington at Detroit.  
New York at Cleveland.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Results Yesterday

Toledo 7; Minneapolis 5.

Columbus 12; St. Paul 7 (called off end of eighth inning to permit Columbus' team to catch train).

Indianapolis at Milwaukee, postponed rain.

**Standings**

|              | W  | L  | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Cleveland    | 16 | 5  | .762 |
| Detroit      | 11 | 8  | .579 |
| Chicago      | 10 | 8  | .556 |
| New York     | 12 | 10 | .545 |
| Boston       | 9  | 8  | .529 |
| Philadelphia | 6  | 12 | .333 |
| Washington   | 7  | 13 | .330 |
| St. Louis    | 4  | 11 | .267 |

**Games Today**

Columbus at Kansas City.  
Indianapolis at Minneapolis.  
Louisville at St. Paul.  
Toledo at Milwaukee.

## MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press)

National

Batting—Slaughter, St. Louis,

413; Jorgens, New York, .382.

Runs—Camilli, Brooklyn, 20;

Lavagetto, Brooklyn, 19.

Runs batted in—Camilli, Brooklyn, 19; Ott and Young, New York, 18.

Hits—Slaughter, St. Louis, 33;

Lavagetto, Brooklyn, 31.

Doubles—Lavagetto, Brooklyn,

Jorgens and Danning, New York,

7.

Triples—Moore, Boston, 4;

Vaughn, Pittsburgh, 3.

Home runs—Camilli, Brooklyn,

7; Ott, New York, and Nicholson,

Chicago, 6.

Stolen bases—Frey, Cincinnati,

6; Werber, Cincinnati, 5.

Pitching—Casey, Brooklyn, 4-0;

Walneke and Cooper, St. Louis, 3.

American League

Batting—Travis, Washington,

47; Heath, Cleveland, 407.

Runs—Di Maggio, Boston, 19;

Fox, Boston, 18.

Runs batted in—Keller and Gordon, New York, 25.

Hits—Travis, Washington, 31;

Gordon, New York, Di Maggio,

Boston, and Trostky, Cleveland, 28.

Doubles—Travis, Washington,

and Keltner, Cleveland, 8.

Triples—Walker, Cleveland, 4;

six players tied with 3.

Home runs—Gordon, New York

and York, Detroit, 6.

Stolen bases—Di Maggio, Bos-

ton, 3.

Pitching—Harder, Cleveland, 3;

Johnson, Boston, 2-0.

A meter is approximately 39.37

inches.

**RACES TO RACE**

Burbank, Calif.—Joe Thorne's race car plant here is so busy making plane parts, he will fly to Indianapolis to qualify for the Memorial Day auto race, fly back to Burbank to keep the plant going and then take a plane again to enter the race.

**NEW BASEBALL FACES**

New York—National League clubs show a personnel turnover of 51 per cent this year.

## OREGON GOLF TEAM WHIPS FREEPORT

With no score card above an 87, the Oregon high school district golf champions trounced the Freeport squad 14½

## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

## Markets at a Glance

*By The Associated Press*  
New York—  
Stocks irregular; metals steady.

Bonds soft; rails in supply.  
Foreign exchange quiet; generally unchanged.

Cotton higher; trade, mill and Wall Street buying.

Sugar improved; Cuban and trade covering.

Metals quiet; spot tin price advanced.

Wool tops steady; trade buying and short covering.

Chicago—  
Wheat higher; loan program.

Corn higher with wheat.

Hogs generally 10¢/15 higher; top 8.85.

Cattle heavy steers steady; light steers strong.

Chicago Grain Table

*By The Associated Press*

Open High Low Close

WHEAT—

May ... 98 98½ 97½ 98½

July ... 95½ 96½ 95½ 96½

Sept ... 96½ 97 96 96½

CORN—

May ... 70½ 70½ 70 70½

July ... 70½ 70½ 69½ 70½

Sept ... 70 70½ 70 70½

OATS—

May ... 37 38 37½ 38

July old ... 35½ 35½ 35½ 35½

July new ... 34½ 34½ 34½ 34½

SOYBEANS—

May 1.28½ 1.29½ 1.26½ 1.28½

July 1.27 1.27½ 1.25½ 1.27½

Oct 1.16½ 1.17½ 1.15½ 1.17½

RYE—

May ... 50½ 50% 49 49½

July nw ... 59 57½ 57½ 58

Sept old ... 52 51½ 51½ 51½

Sept new ... 58 58 58 58½

LARD—

May ... 9.27

BELLIES—

May ... 10.87

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 7—(AP)—Salable hogs 11,000; total 19,500; generally 10¢/15 higher on all weights and sows; tops 8.85; bulk good and choice 180-300 lbs 8.60/80; 160-80 lbs 8.35/875; good 400-500 lb sows 7.85/8.15; lighter weights to 8.25 and above.

Salable sheep 3,000; total 6,000; late Tuesday, lambs closed fairly active, bulk fed woolly westerns 11.00/11.65; top grade lambs 11.75 to city butchers; bulk skins 8.8-11.2 lb shorn offerings 9.25/60; most California springers averaging 93 lbs 12.15; to packers one 12.25 to city butchers; most native spring lambs 9.50/11.50; today's trade generally steady on all available supply; one load 92 lbs fed woolly western lambs 11.65; others around 83 lbs 11.00; most shorn lots 9.25 down to 8.50 and below; ewes quotable steady at 7.23 down.

Salable cattle 9,500; calves 1,000; liberal supply medium weight and weighty steers; very little done on kinds scaling over 1,200 lbs; few loads 10.75/11.50 fully steady; numerous loads scaling 1,350-1,450 lbs and better; yearlings and light steers strong to 25¢ higher; supply typical yearlings higher; supply typical yearlings small; best yearlings early 11.75; several loads 10.50/11.50; medium light steers 8.75/9.50; choice to prime medium weight and heaviest held above 13.00 but only light cattle all grades getting reliable option on early round; fed heifers steady with supply liberal; numerous loads at 11.00 down to 10.00; cows and bulls firm to steady at 10.00 to 12.00; few 12.50 shade higher; very active; vealers haevy sausage bulls to 8.40 and weighty cutter cows to 7.35.

Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: hogs 10,000; cattle 5,000; sheep 11,000.

Representative Sales

Av. Wt. Av. Price

No. Heavy Hogs—

40 ... 255 8.75

51 ... 285 8.65

39 ... 315 8.60

Mediums—

68 ... 205 8.85

43 ... 231 8.80

62 ... 246 8.70

Lights—

45 ... 196 8.80

62 ... 185 8.70

40 ... 171 8.55

Light Lights—

32 ... 160 8.40

19 ... 150 8.10

Fed Western Woolen Lambs—

229 ... 88 11.65

216 ... 79 11.00

Shorn Western Lambs—

97 9.25

11 ... 94 8.50

Ewes—

4 ... 114 7.25

7 ... 124 6.15

Steers—

20 ... 1550 13.25

18 ... 1324 12.85

21 ... 1180 12.50

Heifers—

14 ... 950 11.15

29 ... 640 11.00

24 ... 972 10.85

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, May 7—(AP)—Cash wheat No. 1 hard 1.00; No. 3, 99.

Corn No. 1 yellow 72/74¢; No. 2, 71/72½; No. 3, 69½/71; No.

4, 70; No. 5, 67½/67½; sample grade new 48½/65; sample grade old 71.

Oats No. 1 red heavy 38¢; No. 1 white extra heavy bright 40½¢.

No. 1 white 38½/39; No. 1 white 39½/40; No. 2 white 38½/39; No. 2 white heavy 38½/39; No. 3 white 38½/39; No. 4, 38; sample grade white 36%; sample grade white 34½%.

Barley malting 57½/69 nominal; feds 49½/55 nom; screenings 35½/54 nom; No. 1 barley 69; sample grade barley 53; No. 1 malting barley 65½/66; No. 2, 65½/69.

Soybeans No. 2 yellow 1.28; No. 3, 1.27; No. 4, 1.26.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, May 7—(AP) U. S.

Dept. Agr.—Potatoes arrives

72 on track 31; total US shipments 652; old stock supplies moderate for best quality Idaho russets demand fairly good, market stronger; for northern triumphs demand moderate, but practically no offering today's market; market steady; other varieties northern stock demand very light market dull; Idaho russet burbarks US No. 1, 1.50-55; Wisconsin cobsberries US No. 1, 1.50-55; regional US commercials 65-75; Ohio 75 per cent or more US No. 1 quality 60-65; bliss triumphs 85-90 per cent; US No. 1 quality 80-90; new stock supplies moderate; Texas triumphs demand moderate; market steady on best quality; Louisiana triumphs demand moderate market slightly stronger; California long white demand light, market about

## DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

## "Navy Ready", Knox

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recent weeks for more dynamic action to guarantee the success of the aid-to-Britain program, but he was the first to advocate a specific course—use of the navy.

In advocating this prompt naval assistance, Stimson told the nation in his radio address last night that Germany had extended her zone of unrestricted sea warfare into the western hemisphere.

He also assailed the character of German submarine warfare in the North Atlantic, calling it "illegal" and "violation of law and humanity."

## Acts Similar to 1917

The U-boat tactics, he said, were identical with those of 1927 when they "caused the President and Congress to take up arms in defense of the freedom of the seas."

The charge that Germany had extended the unrestricted zone to hemisphere waters and "forbidden us to enter" was the first such assertion to come from a high administration official. It was thought that Stimson referred to the fact that the Nazis' dragon zone now extends to within a few miles of the coast of Greenland, where U. S. defense bases are being established.

## Limits to Toleration

Stimson's mention of the doctrine of freedom of the seas coupled with the parallel he drew between U-boat warfare in 1917 and 1941 was interpreted in some quarters as veiled notice from the administration to Germany that there were limits to what the United States would tolerate.

In this connection, it was said, the war secretary's emphasis on freedom of the seas might preface a formal administration reassessment of the historic American policy on that point—a move that would necessitate repeal of the neutrality act—and then insistence as in 1917, that Germany respect this country's right to such freedom on the high seas.

Senate opponents of administration foreign policy said they regarded Stimson's address and Senator Pepper's speech in the senate yesterday as trial balloons to ascertain the country's sentiment toward active involvement in the war. Pepper urged joint action by the U. S. and British fleets.

## Convoys Not Mentioned

Stimson, who made no mention of convoys, spoke with gravity last night of Britain's imperiled lifelines and declared that Germany was making her peak efforts to sever those supply routes.

In the face of this threat, he said, the lease-lend program with all its enormous appropriations "is not sufficient." The question as he saw it, was the delivery to Great Britain of the supplies the United States was sharing.

"If today," he continued, "the Navy should make secure the seas for the delivery of our munitions to Great Britain, it will render as great a service to our country and to the preservation of America's freedom as it has ever rendered in all its glorious history."

"Supplementing the efforts of the British Navy, it can render secure all the oceans, north and south, west and east, which surround our continent. In that way we can help hold in check the onward rush of the tide of nazism until the other defense forces of all the democracies are completed."

## Moment is Strategic

"If we should allow the present strategic moment to pass without making full use of our freedom, we may find ourselves in a position of weakness and inferiority, and that such an act of irresponsibility and indecision would be possible."

Stimson, it was noted, made no specific suggestions as to how the Navy should be used. Some informed sources considered this convoys may not be the best system under present war conditions, significant for they believe that and that more effective tactics could be worked out if the U. S. fleet and the Royal Navy were operating jointly.

According to the latest figures, only 24 states are responsible for 85 per cent of the highway debt now outstanding.

## GERMAN REACTION

Berlin, May 7—(AP)—Secretary Stimson's suggestion that the United States fleet be employed to protect shipments of material to England prompted in Berlin today the comment: "The consequence of such a policy would be clear."

Authorized spokesman referred again to the oft-stated German warning that any ship sailing through the blockade to England "which comes within the range of our torpedo tubes will be sunk".

But the spokesman appeared more interested in a statement attributed to Stimson that the German blockade of England is contrary to international law.

"How come?" was the German comment. "It is impossible to support the thesis that it's all right for England to blockade Germany and even non-belligerent European neutrals say that it's all wrong for Germany to try to do the same thing to England".

It was asserted that Stimson's utterance was not regarded as a statement of official United States policy.

Motorists can now drive approximately three-fifths of the distance from the Mexican border to Panama over all-weather highways.

According to the latest figures, approximately 2,000,000 obsolete automobiles are scrapped each year.

## Lodges, Patriotic Groups

Baldwin Auxiliary—Delegates for the department convention, to be held in Galesburg in June, were elected at last evening's meeting of Baldwin auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans. Mrs. Margaret Coleman and Mrs. Anna Bott were to represent the local auxiliary at the Galesburg meeting, with Mrs. Helen Miller and Mrs. Phoebe Humphrey as their alternates.

A donation of \$5 was voted to the fund for Memorial Day ceremonies in Dixon.

Corinthian Shrine—Refreshments will follow a state meeting for Corinthian shrine, No. 40, W. S. of J., to be held at 8 o'clock Friday evening in Brinton Memorial Masonic temple.

Baker Tent—Members of Anna Kellogg Baker tent, No. 81, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, are announcing a business meeting for 2:30 p.m. Thursday in G. A. R. hall. Mrs. Neva Messinger, president, asks a full attendance.

and as business of importance is to be transacted.

Royal Neighbors will meet Thursday night at Woodman hall at 8 o'clock.

American Legion—Tonight will be held a regular meeting of Dixon post No. 12. In view of the momentous decision made by the national executive committee last week and its consequent split in opinion, this meeting of the local post should prove of unusual interest. If you are entitled to attend Legion meetings—by all means attend tonight.

A. F. & A. M.—A special meeting of Friendship Lodge, No. 81, A. F. & A. M., will be held Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock for the purpose of conferring a third degree. A luncheon will be served following the initiation, after which a stated meeting will be held and a degree conferred.

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Theater

## PAW PAW

Richard Meade  
Reporter

### Miss Moore Entertains

On Saturday Miss Mercedes Moore entertained a number of guests at the C. A. Moore home, the event being held to honor Miss Pearl Richards, who will soon become a bride. A lovely dinner was served for the occasion. An afternoon of bridge was enjoyed by the group, with Miss Jean Lindbergh getting the high score for the games. Miss Pearl Lanthe took the second prize and Miss Esther Barton received the consolation prize.

Those present for the lovely party were: The Misses Esther Barton, Cornelie Combeau, Mary Alice Buchanan, Ruth Crombie, Hazel Hecker, Treliip Rabeuer, Savilla Palmer, Pearl Richards, Lorraine Missman, Mary Trombold, Lucille Johnson, Jean Lindbergh, Evelyn Schmidt, Mrs. Margaret Richards and Mrs. Molle Riordan.

### Birthday Club Party

Mrs. Hulda Roessler was the honored guest of the members of the birthday club on Friday evening. The party was held at the Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans home, and a delicious 6:30 o'clock dinner was served. The members enjoyed an evening of bridge with Mrs. Mabel Worsley getting the first prize for the games, and Mrs. Ferris Avery taking the low score.

### Presbyterian Guild

Miss Mary Pfeifer was hostess to the members of the Presbyterian guild at her home on Monday evening. Mrs. Joe Sefranek was the assisting hostess for the meeting. A regular business session was held after which the good number present enjoyed a pleasant social time. Dainty refreshments were served to the members.

### Builders Class Meeting

The members of the Builders' class of the Methodist church held a regular business meeting and social time at the church parlors on Tuesday afternoon. A delicious lunch was served by the committee. On Thursday, May 8, a 1 o'clock luncheon will be given at the church.

Mrs. Otto Lau and children of Chicago spent Friday and Saturday at the Lewis Shaddick home.

Charles Cox of Fort Custer, Mich. is home for a few days visiting with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Etta Thomas of Aurora spent Friday and Saturday in Paw Paw visiting relatives.

Mrs. George Eich and son Arthur and daughters Alice and Laura were Mendota callers on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Winterton of Chicago spent the week-end at the Oswald Oftedal home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayle Harper and daughter LaRayne, Laverne Hopwood, and Mrs. Mabel Schreck enjoyed Sunday sightseeing at Lake Geneva.

Frank Case of DeKalb was a caller at the C. W. Barth home on Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Laura Eich is spending a few days as a guest at the Carl Eich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Hoffman of Chicago were Friday callers at the Philip Niebergall home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gallagher and family of Kingston were weekend visitors at the William Buchanan home.

Edwin Dirks, minister at the Presbyterian church, is making his home in the building formerly known as the Green Tea Room.

Mrs. Carl Kindelberger, Mrs. Dee McLaughlin and Mrs. Orville Henry attended the card party at the Rollo school auditorium on Saturday afternoon.

Donald Ulrey of Rockford spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ulrey.

On Sunday evening those attending the services at the Baptist church were treated to a special service featuring the Lakeview gospel quintet of Chicago. A very good number were on hand to enjoy the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Iverson and son Gilbert, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gallagher were DeKalb visitors on Friday evening.

Mrs. Howard Wirt and son Roland, of Freeport were Friday visitors at the I. H. Breece home.

George Eich and sons Theodore and Robert, Orville Sutton and Frank Barber enjoyed a fishing trip east of Paw Paw on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Baker were dinner guests at the Alden Firkins home near Rollo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dolder of Earlville were Sunday afternoon visitors at the William Terry home. Mrs. Dolder has just returned from a two months visit with her daughter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schroeder were Mendota visitors on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kern and son Bobby attended the Foul school picnic on Sunday at Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cooke of Earlville were Sunday supper guests at the LaVerne Schlesinger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nevins and daughter Ardis, called on Sunday at the Enni Haase home at Galesburg.

The following visited on Sunday morning at the John Radtke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kern and son

Roger were Sunday dinner guests at the John Schlesinger home.

Glenn Baird of Aurora spent Thursday as a guest at the Sam and Tom Baird home.

Mrs. Annie Wixom of Earlville was a visitor on Saturday at the J. C. Goble home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colby and daughter Evelyn and son John, of near Shabbona were Friday evening callers at the Roy Englehart home.

Harold Krouse of Brookfield spent Sunday and Monday at the William Hof home.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson of Dixon were Sunday visitors at the Mark Hopwood home.

Mrs. Ed Guffin who has been on the sick list for some few days, is much better.

Miss Adeline Barth was a Tuesday visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. J. Berry at Roxbury.

Mrs. George Crawford and daughter Dorothy, and Mrs. O. E. Fischer of Rockford, were Friday guests at the Chris Moore home.

Mrs. Lewis Shaddick and daughter Joyce were Friday callers at the John Radtke home at Van Orin.

Frank Clemons visited on Sunday at the Ernest Clemons home at Compton.

Thursday afternoon the Paw Paw high school baseball team met at the Dennis Serena at Paw Paw.

Wesley Mittan and Orlin Nelson of Sandwich spent the weekend in Paw Paw with relatives.

Dick Meade and Charles Gibbs were in LaSalle transacting business on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Sadie Betz is spending this week as a guest at the Milo Betz home at Fairbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meisenheimer of Ohio are the proud parents of a daughter born Sunday May 4 at the Perry Memorial hospital of Princeton. Mr. Meisenheimer was a former Walnut boy.

Charles Hill, student at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kreiger and daughter of Ohio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christensen.

Mrs. Fannie Cropley and Mrs. Mrs. Shaddick and daughter Joyce were Mendota visitors Saturday.

Philip Niebergall was able to be out of doors for the first time on Wednesday since he was taken ill some time ago. His many friends are hoping that he is well on the way to recovery.

The following ladies attended the May Day luncheon at the Stewart gym on Saturday: Mrs. J. R. Reynolds and daughter Muriel, Mrs. John Teece, Mrs. H. R. Town and Mrs. Arthur Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schoenholz and family were Sunday supper guests at the Arthur Schoenholz home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley gave their first hamburger fry of the summer on Tuesday evening.

Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. James Knetsch and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Torman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nangle sang with the rural chorus of LaSalle county at Grand Ridge on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knetsch attended the Mother's Day dinner which was given on Sunday at Champaign by the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity.

Mrs. Glenn Niebergall and daughter Joyce, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Roy Smith and son Gary of Sycamore were Sunday evening callers at the Philip Niebergall home.

F. E. Nangle gave an address before the P. T. A. at the Stony Point school near Dixon on Friday.

Theodore, Alice and Laura Eich were Tuesday evening callers at the Charles Merriman home.

John Robinson spent a few days last week at the Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hammont home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eich returned home Monday after having spent the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Myers at Earlville. Mrs. Eich had previously submitted to an appendectomy at the Sandwich hospital.

The Rev. W. L. Manny of Mt. Morris called on Thursday afternoon at the Philip Niebergall home.

At the present, in some 90 training centers reaching into every state of the Union, 19,000 young Americans are being initiated into the third and final session of the 1940-41 CAA Civilian Pilot Training Program.

The output in 1940 of aircraft of 50 horsepower and less decreased 80 per cent, while those in the 51-70 and 71-100 horsepower increased 238 per cent and 235 per cent respectively.

home at Van Orin and at the Ed Radtke home at Cherry during the afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. William Nickel and family of Zearing, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lau and family of Chicago, Miss Erna Radtke of LaSalle, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shaddick and daughter Joyce of Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nangle and Glenn Beemer attended the annual Mother's Day banquet given by the Delta Omicron sorority in the green room of the Tilden hotel in Bloomington on Sunday. Miss Rosemary Nangle is a member of the Delta Omicron.

Richard Tarl Walker, 52, a former East Paw Paw resident passed away at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, on April 27, and was buried on April 30, in the Wyoming cemetery at Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nevins and daughter Ardis, called on Sunday at the Enni Haase home at Galesburg.

The following visited on Sunday morning at the John Radtke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kern and son

## WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Warling  
Reporter

Telephone L291

### Garden Club

Mrs. Daisy Strauss entertained the Garden club on Monday afternoon. Eleven members answered roll call by giving something on "stock" flowers. Mrs. Marian Borop had charge of the program which was on "Rock Gardening."

All members had an exchange of plants and seeds. A garden tour was planned for the month of June. Mrs. Guy Borop conducted a short business meeting. Delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

### American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Glen Wahl with nine members present. Mrs. Wahl conducted the regular order of business. Nominating committee for election at the June meeting were named. Mrs. Arthur Shearburn, Mrs. John Abraham, and Mrs. Elmer Wedding. The poppy sale for May 24 was discussed and Mrs. Lloyd Wahl put in charge.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William Mueller and daughter of Milwaukee, Wis., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolf.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kruse of Chicago are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kruse.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Meisenheimer of Ohio are the proud parents of a daughter born Sunday May 4 at the Perry Memorial hospital of Princeton. Mr. Meisenheimer was a former Walnut boy.

Charles Hill, student at Mt. Vernon, Iowa, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kreiger and daughter of Ohio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christensen.

Mrs. Fannie Cropley and Mrs. Mrs. Shaddick and daughter Joyce were Mendota visitors Saturday.

Philip Niebergall was able to be out of doors for the first time on Wednesday since he was taken ill some time ago. His many friends are hoping that he is well on the way to recovery.

The following ladies attended the May Day luncheon at the Stewart gym on Saturday: Mrs. J. R. Reynolds and daughter Muriel, Mrs. John Teece, Mrs. H. R. Town and Mrs. Arthur Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarthy entertained guests Sunday in honor of the birthdays of their daughter, Maureen and a guest, Mrs. Robert Renwick. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Renwick and family and Mrs. Laura Frederick.

Miss Gertrude Renwick, student at Champaign spent the weekend with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Renwick.

Miss Louise Jorden of DeKalb spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitver and daughter Doris of Amboy were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Renwick.

Mrs. Glenn Niebergall and daughter Joyce, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Roy Smith and son Gary of Sycamore were Sunday evening callers at the Philip Niebergall home.

Ed Clark returned home Monday evening from St. Louis, Missouri where he attended the International convention of the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eich moved to Rockford on Tuesday where Mr. Ross is now employed.

A new electrical indicator, with impulse turning down the lights regardless of where the guns are firing, thus keeping the pilot informed at all times as to his ammunition supply, has been submitted to surgery two weeks ago.

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John Robinson spent a few days last week at the Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hammont home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eich returned home Monday after having spent the past week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Myers at Earlville. Mrs. Eich had previously submitted to an appendectomy at the Sandwich hospital.

The Rev. W. L. Manny of Mt. Morris called on Thursday afternoon at the Philip Niebergall home.

At the present, in some 90 training centers reaching into every state of the Union, 19,000 young Americans are being initiated into the third and final session of the 1940-41 CAA Civilian Pilot Training Program.

The output in 1940 of aircraft of 50 horsepower and less decreased 80 per cent, while those in the 51-70 and 71-100 horsepower increased 238 per cent and 235 per cent respectively.

home at Van Orin and at the Ed Radtke home at Cherry during the afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. William Nickel and family of Zearing, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lau and family of Chicago, Miss Erna Radtke of LaSalle, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shaddick and daughter Joyce of Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nangle and Glenn Beemer attended the annual Mother's Day banquet given by the Delta Omicron sorority in the green room of the Tilden hotel in Bloomington on Sunday. Miss Rosemary Nangle is a member of the Delta Omicron.

Richard Tarl Walker, 52, a former East Paw Paw resident passed away at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, on April 27, and was buried on April 30, in the Wyoming cemetery at Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nevins and daughter Ardis, called on Sunday at the Enni Haase home at Galesburg.

The following visited on Sunday morning at the John Radtke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kern and son

## County Committee Named on Food for Defense Program

The first county-wide meeting of the food-for-defense program under the co-chairmanship of Charles F. Yale, farm adviser and Marian Sympon, home adviser, was held recently at the Farm Bureau office.

Members of the committee are as follows: Charles E. Yale, Marian Sympon, J. E. Mai, Mrs. Anna Smith, Dale Rosenkrans, E. Melville Hayes, Pearl Ward, L. S. Griffith, LeRoy Miller, John Torrance, Mrs. Jessie Burtsfield, O. C. Holt, Edna Fisher and Mrs. C. E. Poisel. All were present with the exception of Mr. Holt who had substituted Mr. Roth and Mr. Reider as Mr. Holt was out of the county.

Eggs take on other flavors just the way milk and butter do.

Sometimes strong flavors come from feed: If hens get an overdose of cod liver oil, for instance, you get eggs that have a fishy taste and when you get one of those you don't want another egg for a week.

More often these undesirable flavors are absorbed after the eggs are laid—from oranges, onions, potatoes, even hay and kerosene.

Ordinarily, of course, there is no way of knowing when an egg has a peculiar flavor until some unsuspected person gets one for breakfast—and has his disposition ruined for the day.

### Off-Flavors Ruin Appetites

However, more and more eggs are being broken and canned—either dried or frozen. And when they are broken it's possible to tell, from the odor, whether the flavor is okay.

So instead of breaking the eggs directly into a large container, the girls break them two at a time into a metal cup and

## Forgetful Romeo and Lingering Memory



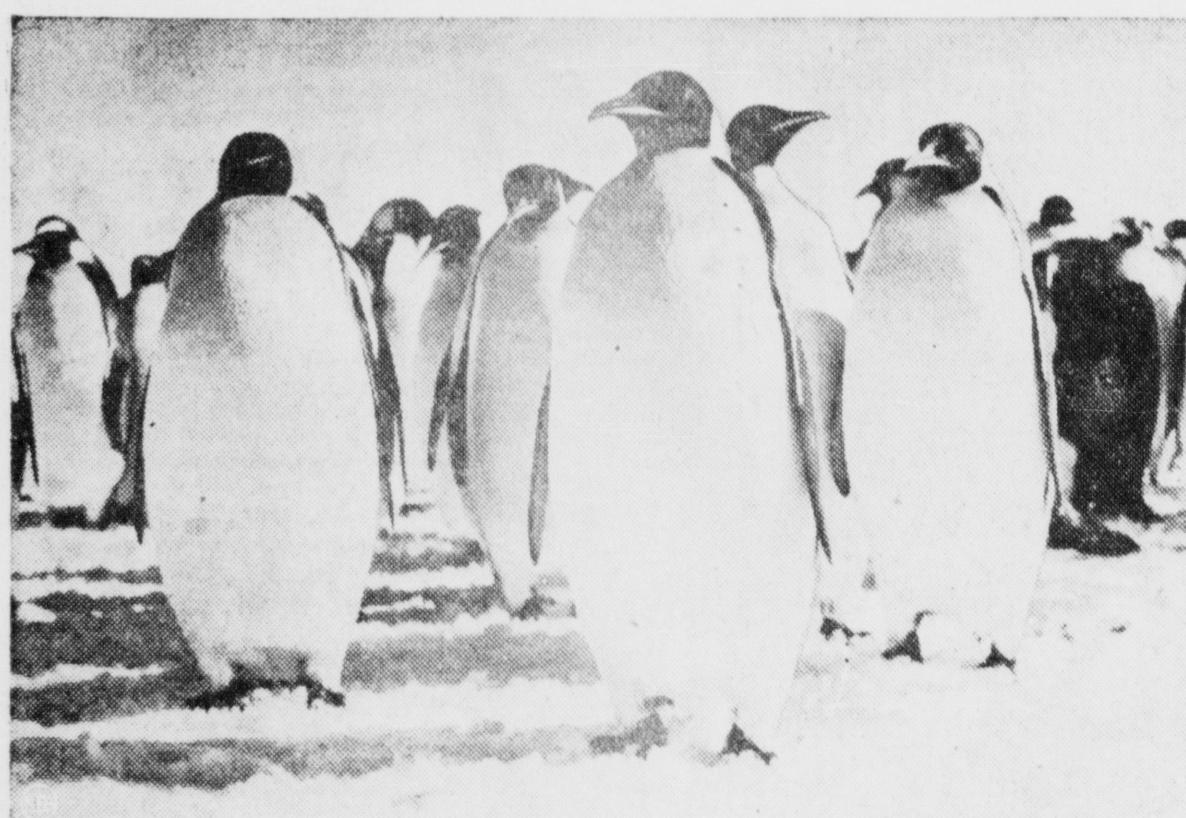
Earl Archer, 20, Arkansas U. student, went to the Kentucky Derby on his motorcycle and met a girl at the Downs, but in the excitement of winning on Whirlaway lost sight of the girl and forgot her name, but didn't forget her eyes, her hair, her smile—or that she came from Kansas City, Mo. So he rode his cycle to Kansas City, where a newspaper story helped him locate her. At right is Archer poring over a city directory, trying to remember her name. At left is the girl—Helen Linger. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Truckin' on Down, for Defense of America



U. S. Army trucks touch noses at Camp Davis, N. C., where they have arrived from all parts of the nation for service in new anti-aircraft training center.

## Passive Penguins Give Byrd Base the Once-Over



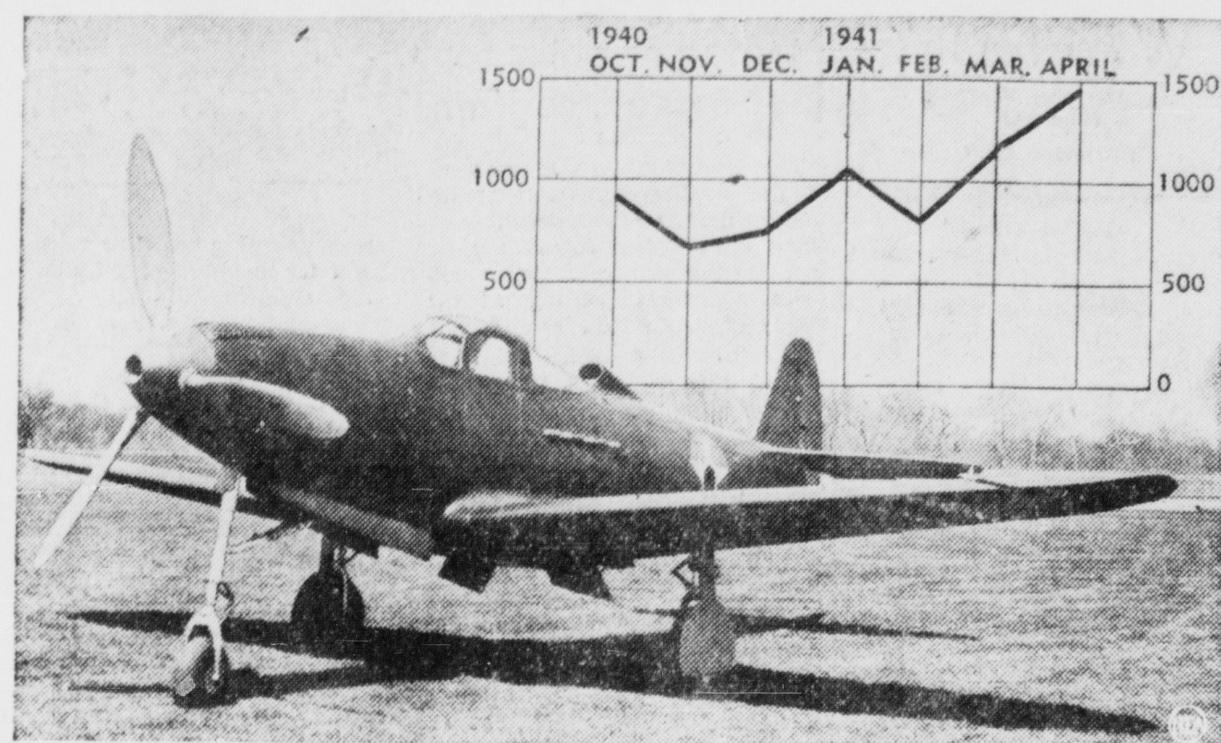
(U. S. Antarctic Service from NEA) Impressively as a bevy of diplomats at a grand ball, penguins waddle over to the Byrd expedition's west base and stick out their shiny, well-fed fronts. This new photo from the Antarctic is probably the best of a long line of swell, rib-tickling penguin pictures.

## Birthplace of World Is 1941's Newest Battlefield



Conflict is no stranger in the Near East, cradle of Man's world, and scene of battle for Babylonians, Persians, Greeks, Romans, Egyptians, Crusaders and Turks for 4000 years. Here the Bible tells of the beginning, and foretells the end of the world. ARMAGEDDON is prophesied as site of final battle between forces of good and evil; Egyptians built the PYRAMIDS between 3000-1800 B. C.; SOLOMON constructed his famed temple in 1012 B. C.; ancient Assyrians founded their capital of beautiful palaces, NINEVEH, in 2245 B. C.; at BABYLON, subjects of Nebuchadnezzar built their tower to the sky in 600 B. C.; NOAH'S ARK, a 20,000-ton vessel, rode the flood that swept over the plains of Mesopotamia (Iraq) around 4000-3400 B. C.; and the Tigris-Euphrates valley is believed site of the GARDEN OF EDEN.

## Production Soars as Planes Like This Take the Air



U. S. plane production is getting its wings. As this speedy new Bell YP-39C pursuit plane was put through War Department combat tests at Patterson Field, O., April output of U. S. aircraft factories was announced as 1493 planes, new high on graph above. Rate in 1938 was 100 a month.

## Sues for \$1,000,000



Jeannette Scott Seymour Young, 27 year old Los Angeles concert pianist, sues erstwhile fiance, Ralph Maxwell Lewis, Rosicrucian Order president, and others for \$1,000,000, charging she was confined to insane asylum and forced to undergo sterilization operation. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Blossom Queen



Jean Muske, South Haven, chosen queen of annual southwestern Michigan Blossom festival at Benton Harbor. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Stars in His Eyes



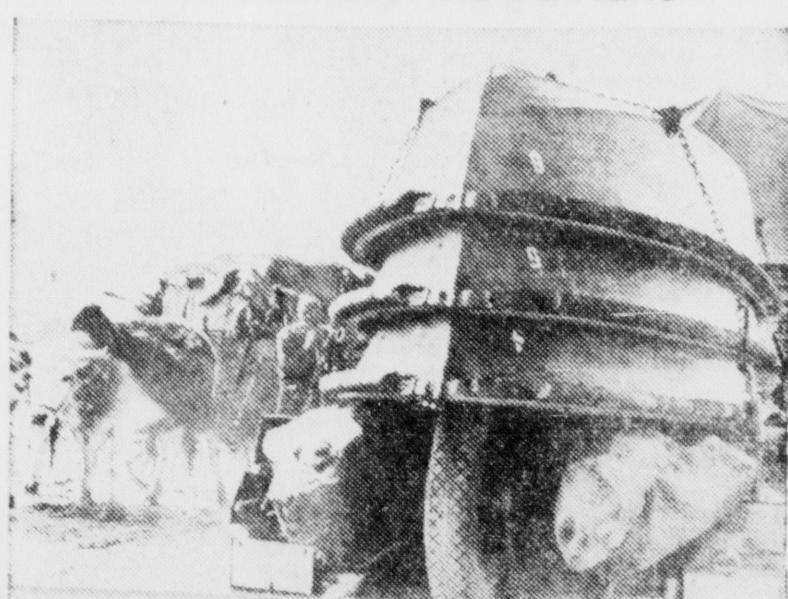
Dreaming of day when he'll win his own wings, a U. S. Army flying cadet at Randolph Field, Tex., turns eyes skyward, and has reflected in his sunglasses the soaring training plane of a classmate.

## Road to Suez?



French worker grades desert road in Africa. This might be one of routes used for attack on Suez, as Germans have been accused of planning to move troops and supplies through Algeria for the campaign in Egypt.

## Blitz Boats in the Balkans



Prepared for the blasted bridges they figured they'd find in Greece, clever Germans brought along their blitz boats for speedy crossings. Here a Bulgarian ox stands aside as a trailerload rolls by.

## Exchange Head



Emil Schram, RFC chairman, nominated to presidency of New York Stock exchange, succeeding William McChesney Martin Jr., who was drafted into army. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Birds for Britain



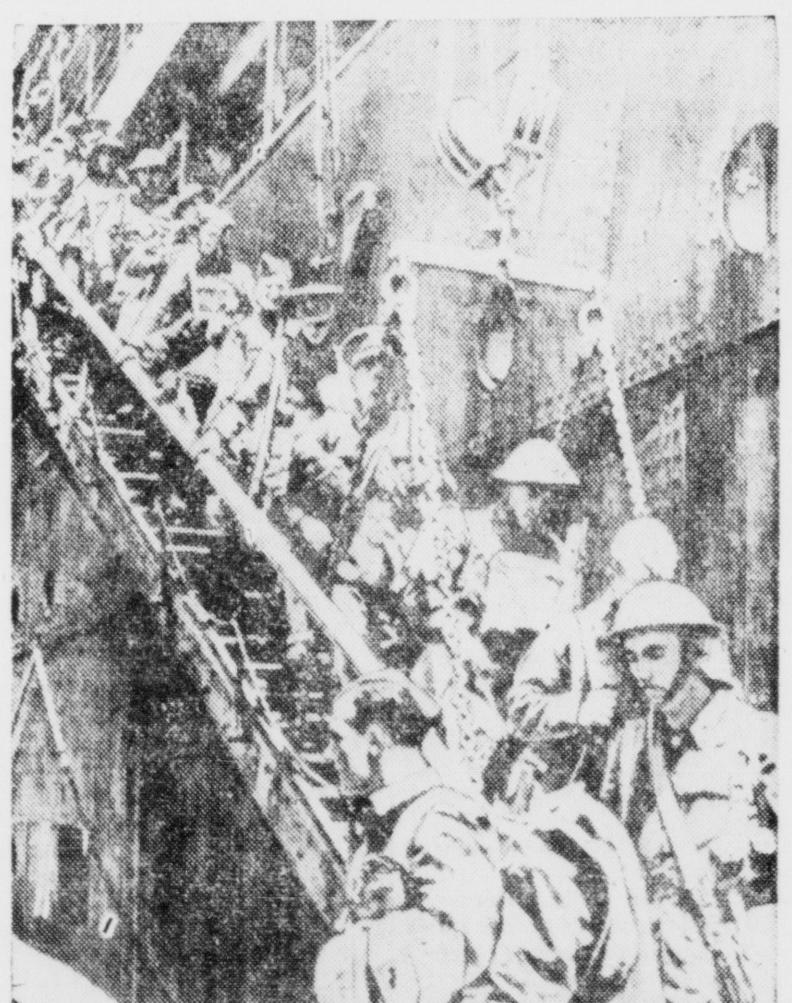
Film starlets watch homing pigeons go through paces in California's San Fernando Valley before being sent to Royal Air Force as messengers between downed planes and headquarters. Audience, left to right: Alice Talton, Georgia Carroll, Marguerite Chapman.

## No Stretch of Imagination



It being spring and stuff, this New York lass exhibits new rubber bathing suit which manufacturers, evidently with truth, insist will stretch with body to provide more freedom.

## Saved from "Greek Dunkirk"



"British Imperial troops who were successfully evacuated from Greece disembarking at an undisclosed port, preparing to face axis troops again in a new theater of war," is censor-approved caption on this cablephoto from London. (NEA Telephoto.)

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At the close of the meeting Mayor Oester was presented with two beautiful baskets of flowers. The meeting was well attended by citizens.

**Breaks Collar Bone**

Mrs. Louise Palmer, age 83, 509 Seventh avenue, had the misfortune of stumbling as she was opening the door for the grocery delivery boy Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Dr. Charles Harris was called and found her to be suffering with a broken collar bone. She was taken to Harris hospital where she remained as a patient.

Mrs. Clara Ziek, Beloit, Wis., visited Mrs. Arthur Reppin the past week. From here she left for Chicago and Washington, D. C., where she will visit relatives.

William Dietrich underwent minor surgery Tuesday morning at Harris hospital.

**500 Club**

Mrs. Ed Yohn entertained members of her 500 club Monday evening. Dinner was enjoyed at the Mendota Cafe, followed by cards at her home, 1200 Indiana avenue. Prize winners were Mrs. Harry Albert Elsesser, Mrs. Harry Schmitz, Mrs. James McDonald and Mrs. Richard Betz.

**FARMERS OF LEE COUNTY CHECK ON ELECTRIC COSTS**

Uses of electricity and the cost of operating various electrical appliances in the home and on the farmstead are being analyzed by means of test meters installed by the Illinois Northern Utilities Company on three farms near Amboy, Illinois.

Results of the tests will be published each month for a period of one year and will cover the operations of police and the parks. He also suggested a "Mayor's Advisory Council."

The mayor read the following list of appointments which were confirmed by the council: Ernest Clause for city attorney; Vincent Witnow, supt. of streets; G. F. Hoerner, water works spt.; police—G. Ichorn, chief, Jay Carr and William Fry; special police, Wm. Weber and Tom McDonald; fire marshal, John Schmidt; fire truck driver, Delbert Deward; city physician, Dr. John Leach. Short talks were given by Atty. Clause and Aldermen Landgraf, Gardner, Welsch, Jacob, Momeny and Ladson. Standing committees appointed were: streets and alleys, Welsh; Gardner, Tower, Jacob; waterworks, Larson, Momeny, Tower, sewer, Gardner, Welsch, Landgraf; gas and light, Landgraf, Welsch, Momeny, buildings and grounds, Momeny, Larson, Henning; railroads, Tower, Larson, Henning; finance, Landgraf, Jacob, Momeny; health, Larson, Tower, Jacob; judiciary, Jacob, Tower, Gardner; license, Henning, Gardner, Landgraf; police, Momeny, Landgraf, Welsch; fire, Gardner, Larson, Welsch; purchasing, Welsch, Jacob, Henning. The mayor suggested investigating the cost of a city audit which was referred to the finance committee to report at the next meeting. Also that a custodian be appointed for parks, which was referred to buildings and grounds committee to report at next meeting.

Beds were opened for a city cleanup of rubbish and the one of George Hyland of \$90 was accepted.

Two members of the city fire department are to be sent to State Fire College at Champaign June 10 to 13. They will be allowed \$8.50 per day plus mileage. Delbert Deward, city fire truck driver will be sent to Detroit for instructions in handling the new truck and will drive to Mendota with a factory representative, Alexander Lumber Co. asked permission to build a two-car garage which was referred to the fire committee.

A bill of \$540 was allowed for flags for ex-service men's graves. Bonds for Mayor Oester, F. J. Reichardt and Carl Yost were approved.

Special police appointed were John Biers and Howard Holler; advisory park board, Glen Momeny, A. H. Henning, L. J. Larson, city council members, with Harry Schaefer, J. A. Kleinfelter and B. Harry Reck; library board for three years, Harry Wright, Watson Bartlett and Jessie Denison.

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A statement by company officials was expected during the day.

**ASHTON**

Mrs. Grace E. Linscott Reporter, Phone 205

**Classes in Joint Meet**

The Love and Unity class of the Evangelical Sunday school entertained the Willing Workers class of the same church on Thursday afternoon in the parlors of the church.

A miniature garden surrounded by a picket fence, twined with ivy provided an attractive decoration. A lily pool, potted plants and lawn chairs in the garden completed the setting.

Various entertainment was enjoyed and the lovely afternoon came to a close by the serving of dainty refreshments. Members of the class proved to be very fine hostesses.

**Birthday Club**

The members of the Birthday club gathered at the home of Mrs. John Wagner on Friday afternoon to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Lloyd Attig, one of their group. The afternoon was spent in playing various games, after which a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. Attig was presented with a gift by the guests who were Mrs. Abe Boening, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. William F. Klingebiel, Mrs. George Putman, Mrs. Adam Witzel, Mrs. Rae Chadwick, Mrs. Robert Knapp and the hostess.

**Fellowship Social**

District No. 1 of the Evangelical church is extending a most cordial invitation to all members and friends of the local church and congregation to attend the all-church fellowship social on Friday evening of this week at 7:30 o'clock.

This is the last of this series of social events which have been largely attended and have proved very interesting. Be sure to reserve this date and be present if possible.

A social hour and refreshments will follow the evening's program.

**Newlyweds Honored**

About thirty neighbors and friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. George Messer, recent newlyweds, on Thursday evening at their home at the William Messer farm. The party was in the form of charivari and shower to welcome the couple into the neighborhood. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

**Y. P. M. C. Meeting**

The meeting of the Young Peoples' Missionary Circle of the Evangelical church which was scheduled for Monday evening, May 12, will be held on Thursday evening of this week in the church parlors at 7:45 o'clock.

Mothers of circle members will be guests at this meeting.

Ranges, refrigerator, water heater, washer, milking machine, water system, pig brooder and chick brooder.

At the farm operated by Holly Smith, south of Amboy, test meters have been placed on the electric range, refrigerator, water heater, water systems, and milking machine. Mr. Smith's farm of 150 acres is chiefly devoted to dairying, having 15 dairy cows, 12 head of young stock, as well as 25 chickens and 275 hens. In addition to the appliances being metered, the Smiths are further "electrified" with a vacuum cleaner, iron, two radios, waffle iron, toaster, and chick brooder.

The water systems pump water for use in the kitchen, bathroom, shower, and to the buildings for all of the stock.

At the Clarence Hart farm northeast of Amboy, an electric washer and chick brooder are being tested. There are four members in the Hart family. Mrs. Hart has 24 chicks under her electric brooder, and at the end of the first two weeks' test, the chicks were in perfect condition. The results of the test will be withheld until the end of the brooding season.

On the Boehle Bros. farm just west of Amboy, three electric pig brooders were used. A test meter was placed on the brooders to obtain figures on this unique use of electricity.

Results on the test farms for April are as follows:

**Holly Smith Farm—Amboy**

Three in family, 150 acres, 15 dairy cows, 12 head of young stock, 450 chicks, 275 hens. Appliances—range, 56 kwh, \$1.68; refrigerator, 18 kwh, 54¢; water system, 14 kwh, 56¢; water heater, 16 kwh, \$1.88; milking machine, 16 kwh, 48¢.

**Clarence Hart**

Four in family, 279 acres, 245 chicks—Appliance, washer, 2 kwh, cost 8¢.

**Boehle Bros.**

Appliance—pig brooder, 194 kwh, \$4.68.

**Rock Island Factory Is Closed by Strike**

Rock Island, Ill., May 7—(AP)—The Rock Island Sash & Door works was closed today by a strike called by Local No. 788 United Brotherhood of Carpenters & Joiners of America, an AFL affiliate, which seeks recognition. About 575 employees exclusive of office workers are affected.

E. Hoffmann, special representative of the union said 90 per cent of the workers have signed.

A statement by company officials was expected during the day.

Miss Lila Lee Kirk was adjudged the winner of the speech contest held at the Methodist church Sunday evening under the auspices of the Dixon W. C. T. U. and was presented a silver medal by Mrs. Mary Strook who was in charge of the event. The meeting was well attended and was featured by a presentation of the lepers' scene from Ben Hur by Mrs. F. L. Blewfield and musical numbers by four members of the Epworth League. Mrs. C. B. Tibbets, president of the W. C. T. U. presided.

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**DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH****Popular Screen and Radio Cowboy Star With Circus**

Buck Owens, cowboy favorite of screen and radio, is this year's wild west star with Russell Bros.' Greater American Circus which comes to the Scholl show grounds in Dixon Tuesday, May 13.

Buck starred recently in "Pals of the Prairie," both in films and over the radio networks. Now, between contracts, he has returned to his first love, the circus, for his vacation. He began his trouping days with the famous 101 Ranch wild west show.

He will appear in person in both afternoon and night performances of the circus, and in addition present a special program of western sports and pastimes with his own company of cowboys, cowgirls, trick and fancy ropers, rough riders, Indian archers, sharpshooters and whip manipulators. Buck, incidentally, is an expert at the art of Australian whipcracking and has long advocated in his movies and radio programs the use of the whip rather than the gun as a cowboy's weapon.

Supporting him in the circus, as on the screen and air, is Buck's charming and petite leading lady, Altanee Niquette. Featured also is Buck's super-horse, Golde, a movie star in his own right. The horse played the title role in "Broadway Bill," appeared with Shirley Temple in "Little Miss Marker" and with Wallace Beery and Mickey Rooney in "Stablemates." Golde was given to Buck by the late Will Rogers and is reported to be the only horse ever to make an airplane journey having

**BUCK OWENS**

traveled by plane from San Antonio to Minneapolis.

**Weekly Commodity Review**

Courtesy of Wayne Hummer & Co. of Chicago

**SOY BEANS**

Trade in this pit for the month of April totaled over 118,000,000 bush., furnishing about 22 bu. per cent of the total grain volume. A substantial proportion of the trading consisted of switching May contracts into the later months, particularly October, following arrival of 52 cars in Chicago on Thursday, presumably for delivery. Oil is in excellent demand at close to the top price of the season, but there is a very poor demand for meal, which is currently quoted at \$1.50 a ton below recent levels.

Cash prices have held closely to May levels and there is no apparent increase in country marketing, which may be accounted for by the fact that soil preparation and planting are now in progress.

The government has asked for additional offerings of land and meats to be submitted not later than the 5th, subject to telegraphic acceptance on the 8th of the month.

**BUTTER**

Government operations and political activity by producers have dominated market action with the November future holding close to the 35c level.

Enormous purchases of cheese and other dairy products, and consequent diversion of milk failed to affect butter production which showed more than seasonal gains and a substantial increase over last year.

A demand from cooperative leaders for a 40¢ wholesale base price at Chicago, and a decrease in domestic consumption, apparently failed to take into consideration the element of consumer resistance.

Production of all meat animals and poultry promises to steadily increase feeding outlet. Soil preparation and planting are now in progress. Reports of acreage to be planted are conflicting, but preponderance of opinion is that the total will be substantially in excess of earlier intentions.

**CORN**

The futures have held stubbornly strong around the top prices for the season, supported by an active cash demand which had to be supplied largely from government holdings because of light country offerings.

While urgency of farm work is partially responsible for these small receipts, there is also more confidence on the part of holders, as the hog-corn ratio was again reported at 12.2 for the week, and frequent reiteration of the urgent need of increased production of all meat animals and poultry promises to steadily increase feeding outlet.

Soil preparation and planting of the new crop is progressing rapidly under favorable moisture conditions, but the rather vague ruling of the secretary of Agriculture as to the rights of cooperating producers, under the revised farm program, is making it difficult to even estimate the acreage to be planted.

Conditions in Argentina are still desperate, as exports are impossible because of the shipping situation, and despite heavy losses due to weather and insufficient storage facilities, there is an unwieldy surplus back in the country.

**RYE**

A period of drastic liquidation of May and old July contracts carried prices for all deliveries close to the low point of the crop year before running its course.

The decline attracted a fair amount of new buying, and elevator interests absorbed the old contracts against sales of new, and a much better tone characterizes the market at that writing.

Heavy arrivals in Chicago were apparently intended for delivery on May contracts, as tenders and tenders have totaled approximately 3 million bushels.

This market is gradually emerging from the lethargy occasioned by the unsatisfactory character of the old contract, as the trade realizes that the new contract affords an attractive medium for millers and distillers.

**LARD**

Prices have moved rather actively in a distinctly two-sided market.

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Dorcas Society

Mrs. James Dexter will be hostess to the Church of God Dorcas Society Thursday afternoon.

## MAKER OF FLAGS

**HORIZONTAL**

1 18th century flag maker.  
9 She was an expert seamstress or  
13 One who holds a check.  
14 Thrower.  
16 Burden.  
17 Acts of selling.  
19 Earth.  
21 Wriggling fish.  
22 Misleads.  
23 Sheltered place.  
24 Witticism.  
25 Heron.  
28 Three.  
30 Liliaceous tree.  
31 Stingy.  
32 Shed for cattle.  
33 August (38br.).  
34 To abdicate.  
36 To freeze.  
37 Upon.  
38 To dress glove leather.

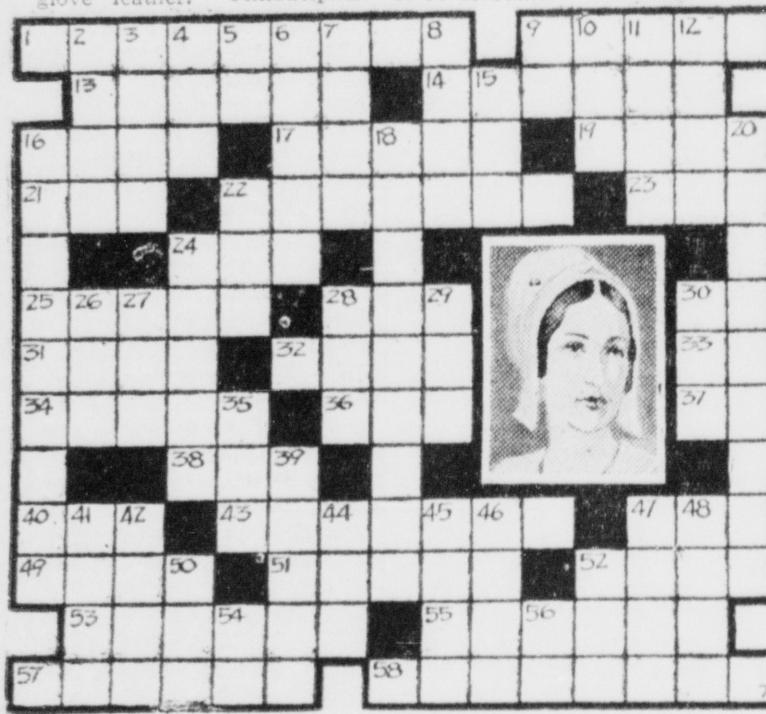
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**SCRAP AND OILED**  
**PIANIST COMPOSE**

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

16 She is the maker of the first U. S. flag.  
18 Oil.  
20 She is the alleged — of the flag's stars (pl.).  
22 Speck.  
24 Worth.  
26 To harmonize.  
27 Male sheep.  
28 Fish.  
29 Fury.  
30 Peasant.  
35 Flap.  
39 Diminished.  
41 Emanation.  
44 Insect's egg.  
45 Therefore.  
46 Revolving device.  
47 Unless.  
48 Olive shrub.  
49 Christmas.  
51 Sugar sand.  
52 Breakfast food.  
53 Plants.  
54 To feel sorrow.  
55 Gelatin in agar-agar.  
56 Labeled.  
57 This —.  
58 This —.  
59 This —.  
60 This —.  
61 Prosperity.  
62 2000 pounds.  
63 Note in scale.  
64 Behold.

**VERTICAL**

2 Tree.  
3 Wild duck.  
4 Sorrowful.  
5 Year (abbr.).  
6 To change a gem setting.  
7 Verbal.  
8 Lean-to.  
9 Senior (abbr.).  
10 Measure of length.  
11 Prosperity.  
12 Sea eagle.  
13 Some.  
14 Shred.  
15 Flags.  
16 Neither.  
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## DE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



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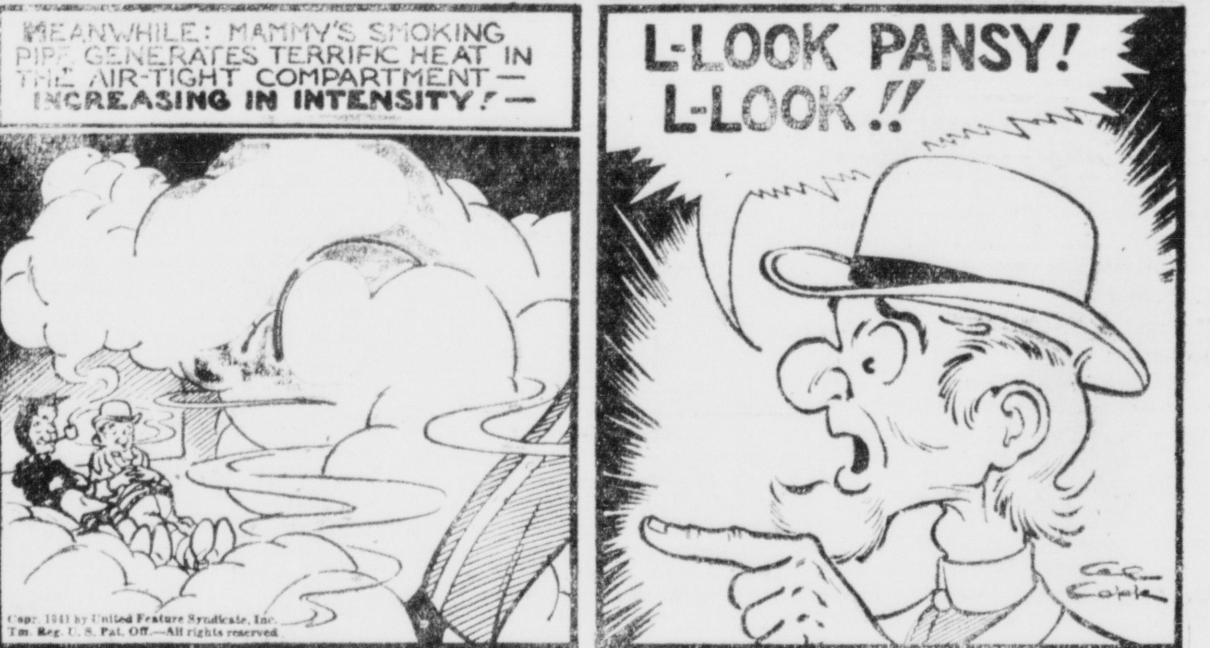


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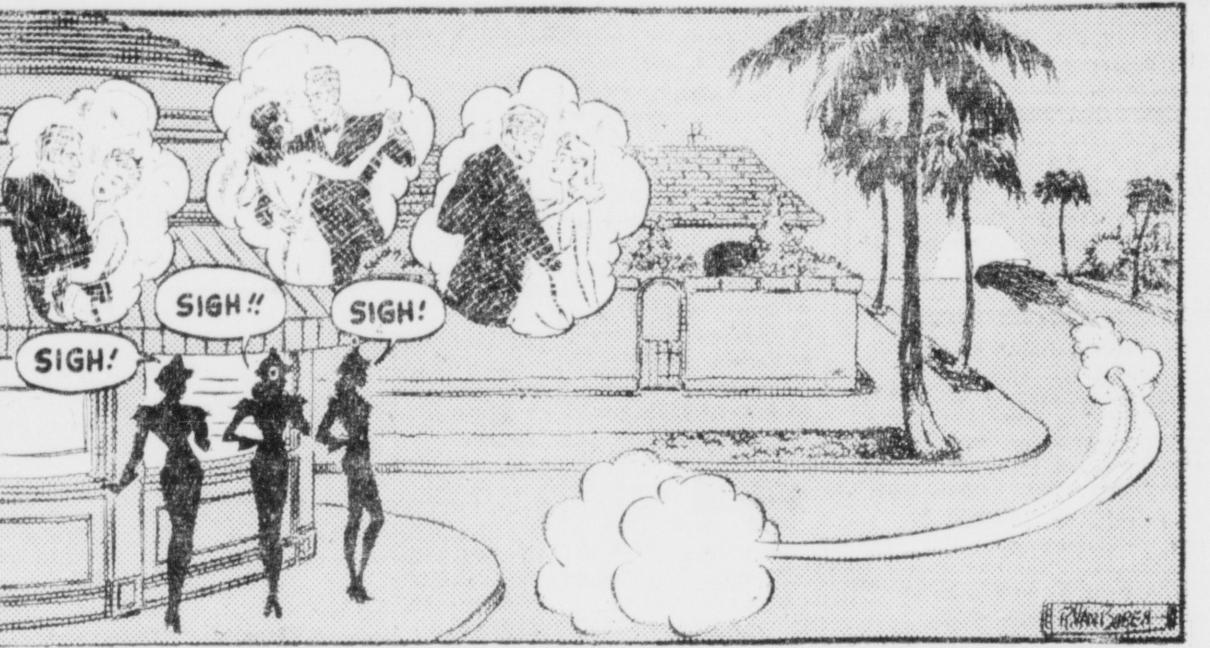
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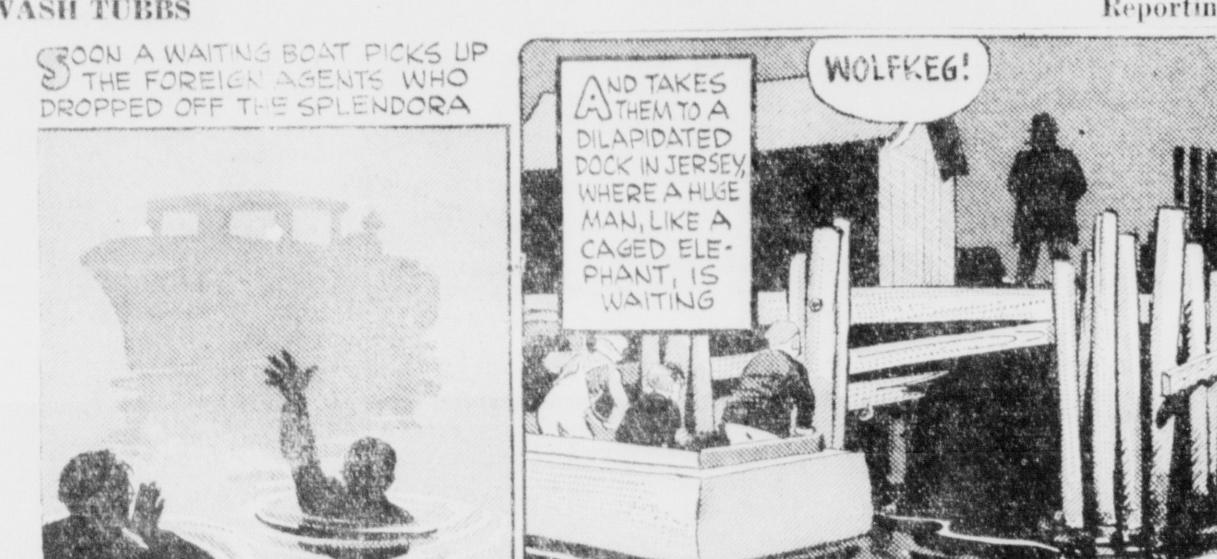


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### Picnic in Cottage

Mr. and Mrs. George Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Buck and son Harold and Miss Solona Look-  
ingland enjoyed a picnic dinner and supper in the Schultz cottage at White Rock.

### Cards in Dixon

Mrs. Mary Morris of Dixon entertained a group of ladies from this place Friday afternoon with luncheon at the Coffee shop and later cards in her lovely new home. Those present were: Mrs. Drucia Bunker, Mrs. Grace Breuninger, Mrs. Elizabeth Crawford, Mrs. Marie Kint, Mrs. Kathryn Herbst, Mrs. Faith Cravens, Mrs. Stella Senger. At contract Mrs. Grace Breuninger received the prize at contract.

### Completely Surprised

Henry Dierdorff celebrated his birthday anniversary Friday, and had intended to spend the evening very quietly at home but his friends thought differently, when Rev. and Mrs. Grafton, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott, Mr. and Mrs. William Crawford and his mother, Mrs. A. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cluts, Mrs. Bessie Schaefer and son, John Adam, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lott, Mrs. Rose Senger and Mrs. Virgie Crawford of this place gathered at his home and completely surprised him.

### Week End Here

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orner and son Ralph of Wilmette were weekend guests in the home of his sister, Mrs. Will Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Crawford. Ralph, who is well known here expects to leave the 15th of this month for Camp Belling in Georgia. He has been given the position as lieutenant and hopes to work up to a captain.

### Contract Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. William Herbst entertained the members of the Contract bridge club at their home Thursday evening. Wilbur Breuninger won high for men, Mrs. Kathryn Conlon high for ladies and Mrs. Evelyn Fox honored. Love-  
ly refreshments were served.

### W. S. C. S. Had Meeting

Mrs. John Myers led devotions at the regular meeting of the W. S. C. S. held at the church Thursday afternoon with the usual number of members present.

Business at this session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Dreger, an attendant at DeKalb conference last Tuesday enlightened the society upon various phases of the new order.

"Investigating our Heritage for Christian Education" was the subject for the afternoon, with Mrs. J. H. Bratton as leader. Various mem-  
bers asked questions on the subject which were ably answered by Mrs. Ruth Kelly and Mrs. Blocher. Religion is the crowning contribution to an intellectually respectable program of education literary campaigns confront.

### Visiting Here

Mrs. Lulu Jacobson of Oregon, who has recently returned home from Florida with her sister, Mrs. E. L. Godfrey and family of Chana, where they all spent the winter is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. George Blocher, north of town.

### Personal

Cecil Sunday of Kenosha, Wis. was here over the week end with his mother, Mrs. Gazelle Sunday. Miss Eunice Miller, who teaches the Mong school closed her school Friday with a lovely picnic.

## LEE CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brewer of Algonquin spent last Wednesday and Wednesday night at the C. W. Ross home, returning home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Etta Ulrich of Shaws was a guest in the W. G. Taylor home several days last week.

Helen Fleutje of Freeport was a caller at the W. S. Frost home last Thursday. She was a teacher in the local grade school a decade ago. She is now employed as a chemist in the laboratory of the Deaconess hospital in Freeport.

Alumni members who desire to remain in the association are paying the fee of 25c to Dorothy Dele Williby, secretary and treasurer, A. R. F. D. No. 3.

Pupils and parents of the Harek school district enjoyed a picnic and treat of ice cream at the school house Sunday. A program by the scholars was presented.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons are employed at the canning factory in Rochelle.

Andrew Jr., Paul and Merle Fay Aschenbrenner were week-end guests at the Clarence Martz home and attended Sunday school and church service here.

John Brasel and his force of men, Harvey Foote, Frank Stevens and Deforest Bedient started work Thursday on the S. L. Shaw home, badly damaged by fire on the preceding Tuesday.

Mrs. Maude Case and Chester Case attended the senior class play, "College Days" at Steward Friday night. Mrs. Case's granddaughter, Dorothy Strawbridge, was one of the leading characters in the play.

Mrs. Roy Vivian is seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Small, near Shaws. Her aunt, Mrs. Gladys Gross of Amboy is caring for her.

Paul March is the petit juror from Lee Center township for several trials which will come up soon.

The Ladies circle will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. S. L. Shaw in the church instead of her home on account of the recent fire there. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. E. A. Pomeroy, Mrs. V. S. Pomery, Mrs. John Erasel, Mrs. James Wheeler, a change having been made from those reported last week. Mrs. Grant Fuller will lead devotions

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### Birth

A son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brandenburg at their home on Sunday morning.

### Medical Patient

Miss Helen Jacobs, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs was taken to the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton on Sunday for medical treatment.

### WCS Meet at Sterling

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church in Sterling were hostesses for the spring sub-district sub-district meeting of the WCS on the Rock River Valley, Tuesday.

Devotional services began the all-day meeting. Luncheon was served at noon and the afternoon session began at 1 o'clock with a worship service and included an address by Miss Ethel Butts, missionary from Korea and the closing address and benediction was given by Rev. Harold Olson, pastor. Those from here attending were: Mrs. George Ross, Mrs. Ellis Kugler, Mrs. Frank Hicks, Mrs. John Hicks, Mrs. F. J. Whitmore, Mrs. Thrasher, Miss Leone Kofoed and Mrs. Dietz.

### Hobby Show

Students of the grade school are very busy these days planning for their annual hobby show, which will be held in the Kersten gymnasium May 18th. Awards will be given for all exhibits whether or not they place in the judging and special ribbons will be given for first, second and third awards.

All entries must be at the gymnasium by 6 P. M. on Friday, May 16th. All children and adults are invited to participate in this show. No entry fee or admission charge will be made. The show last year was a very decided success and is planned for a bigger and better one this year.

### Tavern Closed

At the village board meeting in the town hall on Monday evening two tavern licenses were granted, one to D. D. Considine and one to Roman Malach. The B. & S. tavern that has been operated by Fred Schanze will discontinue business and the fixtures and stock are for sale.

### With the Sick

Joseph Ostrander, who is a medical patient at the Dixon hospital suffering with throat infection is slightly improved.

Miss Caroline Watkins was admitted to the Dixon public hospital on Sunday afternoon and underwent an emergency appendectomy on Sunday evening.

### Names in the News

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Heigelt en-

Ryburn will sponsor a Mother-Daughter banquet to be held in the school gym Friday, May 9 at 6:30 P. M.

The senior high school class for 1941 includes Louise Dale, Raymond Dallam, Irene Fuller, Lawrence Clayton, Luther Hayes, John Case, Calvin Bohn, Edmund Robinson, Lydia Eisenberg, Gordon Parker, George Robert Maves.

The Rev. G. A. Cox will have a Mother's Day sermon next Sunday and there will be special music by the vested choir.

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home from a winter vacation in California.

Mesdames Ellis Kugler, William Dietz, John Hicks, George Jacobs, Theodore Knoll, Mrs. Rose Hoffman and daughter, Ruth were among the many Home Bureau members to enjoy the tour to Chicago on Thursday.

Daniel Leonard, who entered United States Army service last Monday was sent to Camp Grant and was to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Leonard.

J. B. Dougherty of Princeton and grandson, Jack Dougherty of Chicago were callers through the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brandenburg.

Mrs. Ben Jeanblanc was a business caller in Sterling on Friday.

Mrs. Mae Kearney and Miss Frances Lally of Dixon were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lally.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Hunter of Walnut were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bentz.

John Schaefer has received a job with the state highway maintenance department.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward DeWalde of Aurora spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Leonard and Miss Marjorie Duley of Maytown, also guest at the N. Y. A. office in Coliseum building in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayberry and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Rock Falls were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Garland.

Pupils of the McCaffrey school district and their teacher, Mrs. Roman Malach, enjoyed a school picnic Sunday ending a most successful school year.

### Medical Patient

Masses on Sunday, 7 and 9 o'clock.

Daily masses, 7 o'clock.

May devotions each week day evening at 7:30 p.m. for worldwide peace.

Novena services on Friday evening at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30 p.m. during the summer months.

Confessions will be heard on Saturday afternoon and evening. Catechism for the children on Saturday morning at 9:30.

### Hostess to Society

Mrs. I. H. Perkins assisted by Mrs. Charles Hill entertained members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Perkins.

An automobile, traveling at the rate of 25 miles an hour gathers sufficient momentum to turn over once. At a speed of 50 miles an hour it will turn over five times and at 70 miles an hour it will turn over approximately nine times.

E. T. McCormick resumed his duties as rural letter carrier on Thursday after three months leave of absence due to illness.

Mrs. Helen Jeanblanc, teacher in the Morrissey school, the pupils and patrons of the district enjoyed a closing day picnic and social afternoon on Sunday at the school.

Mr. Vincent McHugh of Milwaukee is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Downs.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henry of Chicago spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Perkins visited from Thursday until Saturday in Chicago with relatives. Mrs. Perkins' mother, Mrs. George Brooks, returned with them for an extended visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Stinler and Mrs. J. Hicks and son of Iowa City, Iowa, were guests through the week at the A. B. Clatworthy home. Mr. and Mrs. Newberry of Quincy were also guests in the Clatworthy home en route to their

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